Willoughby 1483 - 1800s
in
England, Barbados
&
Lower Tidewater Virginia

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CAPTAIN THOMAS WILLOUGHBY 1601 - 1657
OF ENGLAND, BARBADES AND LOWER NORFOLK COUNTY, VIRGINIA
SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS 1601 - 1800

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Every word in both Book A and Book B of the Lower Norfolk County Records has been studied and recorded which pertains to this search. Thomas Willoughby of the Southern Branch has been identified and other facts proven as a result.

All reference is to Lower Norfolk or Norfolk County unless otherwise noted.

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THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, Gent. of Bore Place co Kent, Eng.

(from a Nottinghamshire Record)

b dec'd Xmas 1520

(Miscellaneous Genealogica et Heraldica)

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Boreplace was Sheriff of Kent during the reign of Queen Elizabeth (1558-1603) (Weald of Kent vol 2 p 2)

Boreplace, near Chiddingstone, is in the Edenbridge area. Edenbridge is 27 miles from London & 7 miles from East Grinstead co Sussex.

Boreplace with the appendant Manor of Milibroke belonged to the family of Bore. (Weald of Kent vol 2 pt 2 by Mackeson FGS 1870)

Xmas 1520 - THOMAS WILLOWSIE (son of THOMAS, late of Boreplace co Kent, England, Gent. dec'd. apprenticed to THOMAS WILLOWSIE, Skinners Company.

(Miscellaneous Genealogica et Heraldica)

(Note: Thomas Willoughby of Virginia was 19 years old in 1520)
OTHER WILLOUGHBSYS transported to Virginia:

PETER WILLOUGHBSY 22 Jun 1635 - headright in Pat to CAPT: WILLIAM PIERCE Esq. Lawnes Creek (South side of James River) - other headrights included: BARBARY TANNER, WM: THOMPSON (Capt. Wm: Tucker's wife's brother), THO: ROLFE (son of Pocahontas?), ALICE LAWSON (wife of Christopher Lawson) et als.


15 Sep 1657 - headright in Pat to GERVAISE DOSSON, Westmoreland Co. Other headrights included: JNO: BELL, WM: LANGLE, JAMES WILSON, NICHOLAS MASON. (Nu 374)

7 Oct 1654 - headright in Pat to CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBSY, Lower Norfolk Co. - other headrights included: MARY BENNETT, ALEXANDER & JOHN BELL, JAMES WHICHARD, THOMAS WILLOUGHBSY, ALICE WILLOUGHBSY et als. (NU 302)

JOHN WILLOUGHBSY 18 Oct 1653 - head right in pat of CHARLES GRIMES, Lancaster County. (NU 254)

6 Jun 1657 - headright in Pat of ZACHERY CRIFFS, Ware Neck, Mobjack Bay. Other headrights included: CHARLES GRIMES, JNO: WORKMAN. (the name of Workman is in the early Lower Norfolk Co. Rec) (NU 349)

FR: WILLOUGHBSY 25 Dec 1653 - headright in Pat to WM: DEBNAM, Mobjack Bay. Other head rights included: ALICE CURNOCK (Cornick?) et als. (NU 250)

KATH: WILLOUGHBSY 6 Sep 1654 - Headright in Pat to RICHARD HAWKINS, Westmoreland Co. (NU 291)

JACOB WILLOUGHBSY 3 Jun 1663 - headright in Pat. to JNO: HUGHLETT, Northumberland Co. (John Hughlett was a PAc name) (NU461)

12 Jul 1665 - headright in pat to MR. WM: BODY, Isle of Wight Co. Other headrights included: WM: HANCOCK & HEN: HERTBERT et als (NU 476)

ROBERT WILLOUGHBSY 10 Sep 1664 - headright in Pat of COL. EDMUND SCARBURGH, Accomac Co. Other head rights included: THOMAS JOY (IVY) (NU 455)
WILLOUGHBY IN BARBADOS, BRITISH WEST INDIES

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, Gent of Bore Place co. Kent England.  

b  d 1620 called late of Bore Place  
2nd son of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Bore Place liv in 1574  
Sheriff of Kent in 1590 (ED)  

m  

(Ref: Nottinghamshire Records, Miscellaneous  
Genea. Her. & Edmundson)  

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, 2nd of the name & 5th Son  

b  d  
Was he CAPT. THOMAS W., Gent., late of Bore Place,  
Kent whose son Thomas was the apprentice?  

b  Buried 16 Mar 1648/9 in  
the Parish of St. Michaels,  
Barbados (Per.Reg.1P3)  

Sep 1649 - Adm. of Thomas willoughby decd. to  
Edward Willoughby, the son of Thomas Willoughby  
late of Southwark (London, England) but in the  
Island of Barbados, deceased. Elizabeth Willoughby  
the relict.  (Caribbeana 5 p 84)  

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ELIZABETH (was she a Middleton?)  

b  d  

1647 - CAPT. MIDDLETON, Master of the ship "Nonesuch"  
arrived at Antiqua which gave the name to Nonesuch  
Harbor, where he anchored. This was one of three  
vessels fitted out from England by COL. THOMAS  
MODDIFORD who had intended settling there, but having  
been driven by bad weather to Barbadoes, he purchased  
an estate there. (Hits. of Antiqua 1 p xx)  

1659 Rec. 18 Jan 1660 - in Norfolk Co., Va.:  
THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, of ye Barbados, Mariner,  
Agent & Factor in principal unto THOMAS MODYFORD  
& Company appointing THOMAS WILLOUGHBY (this is  
Capt. W's son T. W. II) of Virginia, Gent., his true  
and lawful attorney. (THOMAS MODYFORD died Sep 1679,  
and had been married 29 years in 1668, so born ca  
1599, which would make him about the same age of  
CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY OF VIRGINIA. His tomb  
is in Jamaica. (Jam 1125)  

Apr. 1657 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, decd Entered 19 Aug 1665  
Administration to THOMAS MIDDLETON, ESQ., nephew of  
THOMAS WILLOUGHBY late of Virginia, but in Alhalowes  
Barking, London, England to the use of THOMAS &  
ELIZABETH, the children now beyond the sea.
THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Barbados, BWI = Elizabeth
He was buried in 1648/9, Mar. in the Parish of St. Michaels, Barbados.
He left a son EDWARD, administrator of his estate and the relict Elizabeth.

If this Elizabeth, the relict, was a Middleton we may now have the mother
and father of Captain Thomas Willoughby d. 1657, or did his sister marry a
Middleton? However - no such connection has been proved:

CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY (named his only daughter Elizabeth)
b ca 1601 = said to be 23 years old in 1624
d before Apr 1657 in Alhalowes, Barking, England.

1610 came to Virginia in the Ship "Prosperous"

1627* aged 27 "of Rochester, England" - he was returning to Virginia from
England. (Lower Norfolk County records do not start until 1637 so
cannot be checked for a local record of this)


His wife may have been: ALICE - could she have been ALICE LAYTON, daughter
of JOHN LAYTON and ANN BURRAS, maid servant to Mistress Forrest? JOHN
& ANN BURRAS LAYTON were the first English marriage on American soil.
They were married in 1608 in Virginia.

CAPT: WILLOUGHBY died before Apr. 1657 leaving an estate in Barbadoes.
His nephew, THOMAS MIDDLETON, Esquire was made administrator of his estate
for the use of the children THOMAS & ELIZABETH "beyond the seas".
(NOTE: Nieces and nephews were often recorded as cousins in the early
records.)

CAPT: WILLOUGHBY's son THOMAS was made administrator of his father's estate
in Lower Norfolk County, Virginia in 1658. His father having deceased in
England. This son was born in 1632 which gives a clue to the possible
marriage date of his father. ELIZABETH, the daughter, may have been the
eldest as she married before her brother which may mean that the father
married before or by 1628-1630.

CAPT: WILLOUGHBY is not on the list of Commissioners of Justices appointed
by Sir Wm. Berkeley, however, each time he returned to Virginia he immediately
presided as Justice at each Court and was a Burgess for most of the time that
he spent in Virginia. He was in England in 1627* and many times thereafter.
Out of an 18 year period he spent 12 years out of the Colony and much of the
time was in England, and probably in Barbados.
CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of BARBADOS = ELIZABETH
(was she a Middleton?)

b

d buried 16 Mar 1648/9 Parish of St. Michaels, Barbados (Par. Reg 1 p 3)

Sep 1649 - Administration of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY dec'd to Edward WILLOUGHBY, the son of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY late of Southwark (London, England) but in the Island of BARBADOS, deceased. ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY the relict.

(Cariboeana 5 p84)

There was no WILLOUGHBY included among the 1636 list of Landed Proprietors in Barbados. (Hutchinson)

If this Elizabeth Willoughby was a Middleton we have the father & mother of Thomas Willoughby of Virginia.

If this Thomas is a brother of Sir Percival Willoughby, who did come to Virginia, then it would bear out the many publications that have thought that Thomas I of Virginia was the nephew of Sir Percival.

CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ of Virginia was absent in Virginia from Dec 1648 to Jun 1649

(NOTE: Were Capt. Thomas Willoughby of Barbados and his relict Elizabeth the mother and father of Capt. Thomas Willoughby of Barbados, Virginia and Alhalowes, Barking, England deceased in 1657. This Capt. T. W. named his two children Thomas and Elizabeth.)
THOMAS WILLOUGHBY—Did he have a son? THOMAS WILLOUGHBY
b aft 1600 prob d of Parish of St. Michaels, Barbados
Xmas 1620—Apprenticed to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the Skinners Company.
ALICE BISHOP dau of CHRISTOPHER WILLOUGHBY (Barbados Deeds)
(Nottinghamshire Record & Misc. Genealogical et Heraldisca)

A ROBERT WILLOUGHBY was a head right in patent to Col.
Edmund Scarborough in 1664 to Accomac, Co., Va. (Su)

CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, Mariner a nephew THOMAS MIDDLETON Esq.
Of England, Barbados & Virginia
b 1601 (Hotten) d 1657 in England
1610 Came to Va. in the Prosperous
1623/4 Among the living at Basses
Choice on South side of James River.
6 Jul 1626—of Rochester, aged 27 years, was a passenger on the ship
Peter and John for Virginia, and he is spoken of as an old
settler returning to the Colony. He cannot doubt that he was
the Emigrant of 16 years before. (Va. Carolorum p 46 &
Simsbury’s Calendar of Va. State Papers vol 1)
From 15 May 1637 Capt. Wil. Wollacy was out of the colony until he
returned to preside at Court
2 Mar 1639/40. An absence of 2 years and 10 months. (p 82 Xco)
From Mar 1641/2 until he presides at Court on 24 Apr 1643. (A 177 Xco)
He has been home only 8 or nine months
From April to December 1641 he apparently takes another trip.
He presides at Court again on 13 May 1646.
The absences from Court continue at intervals and in
Aug 1647 he again is absent until 15 Jul 1648. (Could he have
gone to Barbados to claim his share of his father’s estate?)
In a period of 18 years he is only in the Colony about 6.
24 May 1655—He is wished a happy and prosperous voyage by the
Commissioners of Lower Norfolk County, Va. He never returns
from this voyage. (C 158 Xco) He is expected back Feb 1656/7
April 1567 A Barbados record—
(D 25a Xco)

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ. dec’d, administration to THOMAS
MIDDLETON, ESQ., nephew of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY late of Va.,
but in ALKALENES BARKING, London, England, to the use of
THOMAS & ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY ye children now beyond the sea.
(Caribeanna 5 p 203)

16 Aug 1638 Commission of Administration is granted unto THOMAS
WILLOUGHBY JR, upon his father’s estate, CAPT. THOMAS
WILLOUGHBY who deceased in England. (p 162 Xco)
13 Feb 1659/60 recorded 18 Jan 1660/1—THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of
ru BARBADOS, Agent & Factor in Principal unto THOMAS
MIDDEY & COMPANY have made &c. appointed THOMAS
WILLOUGHBY, Gent., of Virginia to be my true and lawful
Attorney. (D 205 Xco)

When CROMWELL died COLONEL THOMAS MOYFORD was appointed Governor
of Barbados on 16 Jul 1660. His term of office was short as the
restoration of Chas. II produced a change in Government that same
year, 1660. Afterwards, SIR THOMAS MOYFORD removed with his
property to Jamaica where he introduced the cultivation of sugar.
He succeeded COL. LYTCH as Governor of Amsterdam. (Hutchinson-Brown 280.)

Did CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY have a sister who may have
married THOMAS MIDDLETON and had a son THOMAS MIDDLETON?
This would account for the nephew, Thomas Middleton.
MIDDLETON, LONDON, to CAPTAIN THOMAS MIDDLETON, 1504

LONDON - p 166 - MIDDLETON, 1476. ff. 214b.312b Pedigree
MIDDLETON, from co. Denbigh 1476,fo.242. 1504 fo. 109
Add. MS.5533.p.159

MIDDLESEX - p 197 - (no Middleton listed)
MIDLEMORE of ENFIELD, 1551,fo. 65b Pedigree

ESSEX - p 103 - MIDDLETON of STANSTED, from co. Denbigh
1083. fo. 11b. 1137,fo.136b. 1432,fo. 150b.
1542. fo. 194.

CHESHIRE - p 43 -MIDDLETON of CHESTER, 1505, fo. 102. 1535, ff 1,162,209.
2187. fo. 89. Add. MS 5529. fo. 46.

(Index to the Pedigrees & Arms in the Heralds' Visitation and other Genealogical Manuscripts in the British Museum - by R. Sims, London 1849)

The numbers are to be considered as always referring to Manuscripts in the Harleian Collection, unless otherwise specified)
Middleton connection to Willoughby

THOMAS MIDDLETON, Mercer
wd LONDON 25 Nov 1434  wp 24 Feb 1435/6

To be buried in Saint Mary's Chapel in Church of Saint Laurence in Old Jewry under the stone where lies JOHN MIDDLETON, his uncle.

wife: LETICIA, lands in Parish of Saint Laurence as aforesaid and also the residue of his goods, movable and immovable, after discharge of debts, to be at her own disposal and for the good of his soul. (Roll 154(34)) - (Calendar of Wills, Court of Hustings, London vol. 2 p 475, Ed. Reg. R. Sharpe 1890 London)
Middleton connection to Willoughby

THOMAS MIDDLETON, Skinner

wd 28 Mar 1566/7  wp 30 Nov 1571 (Hust² p 589 - Roll 256 (160))

To be buried in the Parish Church of Saint Pancras (in co. Middlesex
or in Soperlane or Westchepe)(Saint Pancras, Soperlane, London & St.
Pancras, in the Fields, London)

Sequests to those of the livery of the Company of Skinners attending
his burial.

wife: ALICE, two messuages in the Parish of Saint Stephen in
Colmanstrate (Parish of St. Stephen, Coleman Street is
in London) in fee.
Sir Thomas Middleton continued

15 Apr 1623 - Letter from CAPT. MILES KENDALL in Somers Islands to SIR EDWIN SANDYS, addressed to his house in London. (4VC121)

"those 5 shares that MIDDLETON (Sir Thomas) and HUMFREYES are on are sufficiently supplied if ye send them 4 boyes apiece. They have had ill success with those they brought."

(The above seems to mean that Sir Thomas Middleton is in Bermuda)

1623-1624 WILLIAM WILSBY (willoughby?), Stationer adventurer to Virginia with the Virginia Company of London. (4VC365)

16 Feb 1623 ANTHONY MIDDLETON among the living at Elizabeth City Co. Virginia. (Hotten 182)

1620 DAVID MIDDLETON chosen to be Councillor of Virginia Court (IVC 379,479)

1618 or 1619 FRANCIS MIDDLETON adventurer to Virginia £12/10 (3VC66)

1624 HENRY MIDDLETON on list of Burials in Elizabeth City Co., Virginia (Hotten 257)

1618 or 1619 JOHN MIDDLETON adventurer to Virginia £6/5 (3VC 86)

24 Jul 1635 JOHN MIDDLETON & MARIE MIDDLETON to be transported to Virginia in the Assurance. (Hotten 111,113)

1620 - JOHN MIDDLETON witnessed the will of WILLIAM MIDDLETON of Sur-Sage co Leicester, England.

7 Mar 1623 RICHARD MIDDLETON - One share Virginia Company of London to RICHARD MIDDLETON by JOHN SUDGE. (2VC327)

7 Mar 1622 - same as above. (3VC 66)

1618 or 1619 ROBERT MIDDLETON, Adventurer to Virginia £37/10 (3VC66 )

1624 Adventurer to Virginia (4VC365)

ROBERT MIDDLETON who died in Virginia, a Bachelor. (Sherwood)

wd 3 Apr 1627 admon. 18 Jul 1627 (PCC 78 Skynner)

Names brother: WILLIAM MIDDLETON in Hamton, Yorkshire

1635 EDWARD MIDDLETON, 15 years old, abord the Dorst bound for Bermodos (Hotten 132)

1673 EDWARD MIDDLETON held 2 shares of Land at East End of St. Georges Island in the Somer Islands (Hotten 304)

EDWARD MIDDLETON d. 1685; from England to the Barbados, thence to South Carolina 1672, where he received large tracts of land; was Lord Proprietor's dep., Member of the Grand Council 1678-84(Immig 48)

Married (2) 1680 SARA widow of RICHARD FOWELL of the Barbados.
Middleton connection to Willoughby

SIR THOMAS MIDLETON

wd 23 Mar 1619/20 wp 4 Apr 1620. "Sir Edwin Sandys, Treasurer of the Company of Virginia for College in Virginia for conversion of the in-fidel children. Son: JOHN FARRAR. To Poor in Harford (Hertford, Hertfordshire) where I was born. ...Company of Skinners whereof I am a brother, friend and sometime partner, SIR THOMAS MIDLETON, friends MR. HUGHE MIDDLETON, MRS. ANNA MIDDLETON widow, cousin MARY STEAD, daughter FARRAR, son JOHN COLLETT and his wife, their daughter MARY under 21 years whom I have brought up from her cradle, the rest of my daughter, COLLETT's children (under 21) my grandchild NICHOLAS FARRAR the house where I now dwell bought of MR. WILLIAM ALLEN in St. Sythes Lana, Parish of St. Benett Sherehogge, London. Sons NICHOLAS FARRAR, RICHARD FARRAR. To poor 75 gowns which is my age. Wife MARY FARRAR, executor son NICHOLAS. (P.C.C. Soame 352)

1618 (or 1619) Adventurer to Virginia - SIR THOMAS MIDLETON (3VC35)
6 Mar 1619/20 - Letter to Sir Edwin Sandys written by Harrowhattocks from William Weldon:
"but one of the best seats is already planted by CAPT. MATHEWS for the use of SIR THOMAS MIDLETON & Alderman JOHNSON -(one of two seats)- most convenient and likely to prove the most beneficial for the present use of the Colledge (at Henrico)" (3VC264)

22 Jun 1620 - On a list of the Adventurers (of the Virginia Company of London) with their several sums adventured....

NICHOLAS FERRAR £ 50
JOHN LANGLEY £ 25
JOHN FERRAR £ 12/10
JOHN ROBINSON £ 75
SIR PERCIVAL WILLOUGHBY £ 50
WILLIAM, Earl of PEMBROKE £ 400
SIR THOMAS JERMIN (JERMY) £ 52/10
SIR THOMAS MIDLETON £ 37/10
JOHN MIDDLETON £ 6/5
FRANCIS MIDDLETON £ 12/10
PHILIP, EARL OF MONTGOMERY £ 120
(these last two are HERBERTS)
(3VC 329,330,331,332,335,339,340)

May 1623 - On a list of the names of divers Knights, Citizens and Surgesses of the Lower House of Commons that are adventurers and free of the Virginia Company and yet have not had nor followed the bussiness for sundry years:
(SIR THOMAS JERMIN (JERMY) SIR THOMAS MIDDLETON)

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Middleton connection to Willoughby

WILLIAM MIDDLETON of Burbage co. Leicester, England, Yeoman

wd 14 Jul 1620 wp 21 Nov 1620 (P.C.C. Soame 459)

wife: ANNE (widow of Hunt?)
dau-in-law: MARGARET HUNTE to marry my kinsman THOMAS MIDDLETON
(as no sons are named in will the Hunts must be step-
sons, sons of his wife by a former husband)
sons-in-law: JOHN, GEORGE, THOMAS (under 21) and RICHARD HUNT
the 2 children of RICHARD WATKYN
the 6 children of THOMAS DUNCKLYE of Crycke (Crick, Northants.)
sister-in-law: ALICE MIDDLETON
kinswoman: ANNE BENNETT
Exor: my nearest kinsman THOMAS MIDDLETON
Overseers: friends & neighbors: THOS ARMESTON & JOHN WATKYN
wit: THOMAS ARMESTON, THOMAS DOUNKLYE, JOHN MIDDLETON, JOHN WATKINS

see also will of SARA MIDDLETON, Spinster, of London (P.C.C. Soame 699)
wd 1620 - names: brothers WILLIAM MIDDLETON and JAMES MIDDLETON.

will of ROBERT MIDDLETON who died in Virginia, a Bachelor (adv. 1618)
wd 3 Apr 1627 admon. 18 Jul 1627
Named: brother WILLIAM MIDDLETON in Hamton, Yorkshire England (Sherwood)
CAPT THOMAS MIDDLETON ESQ. = ELIZABETH

5 Dec 1672 Entered 15 Mar 1672 in Barbados (Records of)
Sole executor: son BENJAMIN MIDDLETON
Overseers: his friends, MR. JOHN BUCKWORTH, MAJOR NEHEMIAH BORINJ, MY.
NICH: DAVIES to help and advise his son.
Sis: SIMON NICHOLS, NICHOLAS DAVIES, JNO: NICHOLLS, ROGER SHULLER,
JOHN WEST Ser. (Sr.?)

.....being sick in body......all his lands, tenements, estates &c
in ENGLAND should be charged for the payment of his just debts and
legacies in the first place, but should these be insufficient to meet
them, then all of his plantations and estates in BARBADOS, NEW ENGLAND,
and ANTIGUA should be charged with the payment of the residue........

To beloved wife, ELIZABETH £150 per annum chargeable to his plan-
tations and lands in Barbados, New England, Antigua and elsewhere. She
was to be paid on the feast days of the Birth of Christ and the Nati-
vity of St. John the Baptist in equal portions at the dwelling house
of JNO: WEST in WILBROOK (Walbook?) LONDON. Should his wife happen to
give birth to a son after his decease, he left him also an annuity of
£150 annually for his natural life, but should she give birth to a
daughter after his decease then he bequeathed to her £1000 at 21 and
an annuity of £50 from the death of his wife until she attain to the
age of 21 or on the day of her marriage..........also to his wife, his
coach and horses, bed and furniture in any room of the house.........
He had had dealings with CAPT HENRY COLLETSON decd., and directed that
his widow and children be discharged from all accounts and demands
with the exception of any legacies made to them by him..............

To sister: REBECCA WILKINS £12 per annum.........................

To son: BENJAMIN MIDDLETON and lawful heirs; his plantations called
the Mount and Valley, with their appurtenances, in Barbados, and his
lands and plantations in New England, Antigua and elsewhere beyond the
seas with the appurtenances thereof. He left his lands, Hereditaments
freeholds or lease in KENT or elsewhere in ENGLAND to his son BENJAMIN
his heirs and assigns, and also such monies, debts, plate, jewels,
household goods, chattels and estate which had not been bequeathed in
his will. Should his son BENJAMIN depart this life without lawful
issue then his plantations in BARBADOS, New England, Antigua and else-
where should be divided into three portions.

In such an event 1/3 of his plantations should be divided among the
children of his daughter ELIZABETH FREER by CAPT. TOBIAS FREER and
their heirs;

1/3 part between the two daughters of CAPT. HENRY COLLETSON viz: URSELLA
wife of WILLIAM GOLD and ARABELLA wife of SAMUEL PETT equally;

1/3 part of the said plantations should go to the Master and Company
of Trinity House and to their successor for the poor of such company.
Capt. Thomas Middleton will continued:

To URSULA daughter of HENRY COLLETON and wife of WILLIAM GOLD £500

To her sister ARABELLA wife of SAMUHELL PATT £500 £500 in full of any demand or claim whatsoever.

To the Master and Company of Trinity House £5 for the poor of the Company

signed: THO: MIDDLETON

1620 - In will of WILLIAM MIDDLETON of Burbage co. Leicester, England Yeoman
"Dau-in-law (step-dau) MARGARET HUNTE to marry my nearest kinsman THOMAS MIDDLETON"....sister-in-law ALICE MIDDLETON....

1638 - CAPT. THOMAS MIDDLETON & CHRISTOPHER MIDDLETON are Landed Proprietors in Barbados.

1544 to 1673 there are Counter Deed in Barbados of THOMAS MIDDLETON.

1647 - The ship "Nonesuch", Capt. MIDDLETON, Master, arrived at ANTIGUA in 1647, which gave the name to Nonesuch Harbor, where he anchored. This was one of 3 vessels fitted out from England by COL. THOMAS MODYFORD who had intended settling there, but having been driven by bad weather to BARBADOS, he purchased an estate there. (Hist. of Antigua 1 p xx)

(Thom. Modyford died Sep 1679, had been married 29 years in 1668 (born ca 1563). He was called Sir Thos. Modyford, former Governor of Jamaica where his tombstone is. (Jam 1125))

In 1548 - of St. Leonards, Bromley co. Middlesex, England
In 1557 - of Stratford, co. Essex, England
In 1672 - of London, in his will proved in Barbados

In 1661 - Marshall of the Court of Common Place Pleas for the Precincts of the Parish of St. James and St. Thomas in Barbados.

9 Nov 1647 - JONATHAN ANDREWS of London made arrangements with MR. THO: MIDDLETON and JOSEPH WARD for transporting certain goods at the Port of Barbados. The ship anchored on the Inward Port and not at the Port of Barbados when it arrived at the Island. This was an inconvenience and THO: WARDALL & THO: ANDREWS protested against CAPT. THO: MIDDLETON & JOSEPH WARD and claimed damages. Deed signed 28 Dec 1647. (vol 2p285)
Deed signed 11 Nov 1648 Entered 16 Apr 1655 (Barbados Deeds)
In this deed THOMAS MIDDLETON ESQ. is described as belonging to Saint Leonard's Bromley co. Middlesex, England.

He appointed EDWARD PYE & CONSTANT SYLVESTER to be his lawful attorneys in Barbados.

In another deed in 1652 these Gentlemen, it was recorded, had appointed, by the power invested in them and the letter of 11 Nov 1648 recorded 14 Apr 1659 appointing them attorneys, THOMAS REWELL a merchant of Barbados to be substituted in their place, suggesting that it would be convenient.

Between 1654-1663 THOMAS MIDDLETON sailed from Bristol, England, his destination Virginia. (Bristol 52)

15 Dec 1655 THO: MIDDLETON one of headrights in patent to DR. GILES MOLE to New Kent Co., Virginia (NU 322)

Apr 1657 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, decd. - administration to THO: MIDDLETON ESQ., nephew of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY late of Virginia, but in ALHALWES BARKING, LONDON, ENGLAND to the use of THO: & ELIZ: WILLOUGHBY ye children now beyond the sea. (had the children previously been in Barbados and it would seen that Thomas Willoughby of Virginia must have had business interests there. Perhaps his many trips out of the Colony of Virginia included stays in Barbados.)

Deed signed 17 Nov 1657 Entered 13 Aug 1658 (Barbados Deeds)
In this indenture THOMAS MIDDLETON ESQ., of Stratford co. Essex, Eng., appointed ROBERT GVERSARY, a citizen and carpenter of London as his agent in the trade of a carpenter for four years in Barbados.

Between 1663-1679 THO: MIDDLETON sailed from Bristol, England destination Barbados. (Bristol 120)

23 Feb 1663 & again 10 Sep 1664
THO: MIDDLETON headright in Patents of JOHN RENNY, Accomac Co., Va. (NU 454, 463)

Deed signed 6 May 1672 Entered 25 Jan 1675 (Barbados Deeds)
THOMAS MIDDLETON as Marshal of the Court of Common Pleas held for the Precincts of the Parish of St. James in Barbados, by virtue of an Act dated 29 Aug 1661, sold to MARTHA WOLLUSE and his assigns 1966 sq. ft. of land in Barbados in St. Michael. The Land was near the North side of St. Michael's Towne. (St. Michael's Towne is now known as Bridgetown and is the Capital of Barbados.)

The above Deed may possibly belong to the THOMAS MIDDLETON, younger than this one for there are other deeds which were signed after this Thomas' death, in 1672/3.
THOMAS MIDDLETON

These deeds in which THOMAS MIDDLETON as Marshall sold land seem to be dated a little late for his will was Entered 15 Mar 1672/3.

Aug 1673 THOMAS MARSH as Marshall sold land to THOMAS ALLIN relict of Capt. BART ALLIN, but then wife of JOHN BURGESSE CLARK situated in the Parish of St. Peter.

Deed Nov 1673 land in Parish of St. Michael to WILLIAM GINGAY.

Deed signed Sep 1673 he sold land with a house situated in Swan Street in the Town of St. Michael to RICHARD FORSTALL.

Deed signed Jun 1681 Mention was made of the fact that under the hand and seal of THOMAS MIDDLETON formerly Chief Marshall of the Court of Common Pleas for the precincts of St. James and St. Thomas, land with a stone house had been sold to JOHN BUSHELL and FRANCIS BOND on 23 Jan 1671. (This seems to place all these deeds with Capt. Thomas Middleton, Esq as Marshall. The dates after his death do not say who did the signing, and they may well have been entered after his death.)

However: There was a later THOMAS MIDDLETON:

THOMAS MIDDLETON

1678 - on List of all men, women & children, whites and blacks in the severall Divisions in the Island of Antiqua.

Falmouth Division: THOMAS MIDDLETON, 2 white men, 2 white women, 2 white children, 1 negro woman. (Ant lvii)

THOMAS MIDDLETON of Tanton, Somersetshire, England

8 Jan 1685 - on list of Sir WILLIAM BOOTH’s list of Prisoners sent to Barbados (convicted Rebells). (Hotten 334)

28 Jan 1685 - THOS: MIDDLETON, convicted Rebel, Imported (Hotten 338)
MEMORANDUM That on or about the Twenty fourth (sic) day of June in the yeare of our Lord God One Thousand six hundred, forty nyne JOHN MIDDLETON late of LEWES in the County of SUSSEX bachelowe (sic), being then of sound and perfect mind and memory and with a full intent and purpose to make and declare his last will and Testament by word of mouth, said, as followeth, That is to say, I give and bequeath unto my deare and loving friend and fellow soouldier Mr. DANIELL TYDIE all my estate as well reall as personall and whatsoever, wheresoever, or by whomsoever due and owing unto me at the time of my death; And hee named and ordained the said DANIELL TYDIE, to bee the Executor of this his last will; Which words /or the very like in effort/ were spoken by him the said JOHN MIDDLETON in the presence and hearing of THOMAS SUTTON and THOMAS THOROGGOOD. (24 June 1649)

(Public Record Office, London Ref: E 315/483 4977 p 25)
Will of SIR THOMAS MYDDDELTON/MIDDLETON of Chirke Castle co Denbigh, Bart.

Will 24 Feb 1679/80 - no probate given (Pub Rec Office, London Ref: E 214/1409)

Witnesses: JOHN FISHER, THOMAS LINSEY, WILLIAM SMENT & THOMAS WITHENDEN

Executrix: wife CHARLOTTE (sole executrix)

Trustees:
  SIR THOMAS GROSVENOR of Eaton co Palatine of Chester, Bart:
  SIR JOHN BRIDGEMAN of Castle Bromidge co Warwick, Bart:
  MUTTON DAVID Esq. of Lannerack co Denbigh - bequeathed - £ 20

"my body to be interred in ye Parish Church of Chirke in ye vault belong-
ing to my family in ye Chauncell of ye Church."

"if there should be 2 or more daughters & 1 son at my decease, then to
each daughter £ 5000 a piece over & above such portion as is made for
them by my marriage settlement."

"to only daughter CHARLOTTE MYDDDELTON, in case no son is living at my
decease £ 10,000 in addition to my marriage settlement of £ 5000 to make
up the sume of £ 16,000." - later in will - " £ 100 yearly for first four
years & £ 200 yearly until the moiety of her portion shall be raised -
a like sume to any other daughter or daughters."

"my brother, RICHARD MYDDDELTON Esq. *" £ 500
THOMAS MYDDDELTON Esq."my other brother" ** (bros. with same name) £ 300

"my honored brother in law, RT. HON. LORD CHOLMDELEY " £ 20
No relationship given: "to THOMAS CHOLMDELEY Esq of Verte Royall
col Palatine of Chester" £ 50
"to FRANCIS CHOLMDELEY Esq" (amount is torn) £ 0

"my uncle RICHARD MYDDDELTON Esq of ye City of London, Merchant" *** £ 10
"my uncle CHARLES MYDDDELTON Esq **** £ 5

"my Aunt __________ MAINWARING" £ 20
" to CHARLES MAINWARING Esq my black stoned horse and" £ 20

"my sister __________ BENNETT £ 100

"my kinsman Mr. Justice MANLEY HOWARD, of my Court" £ 20
" to ORLANDO, my godson " £ 100
" to HUGH MEREDITH of (?)entre Bysham £ 20 & to his gr-son, my
god-son THOMAS MEREDITH" £ 100
" To my god-daughter ______ WARBURTON dau of GEO. WARBURTON Esq. £ 100

-------------------------------------- SERVANTS --------------------------------------
PETER FOLKES £ 6 yearly for life and my wearing apparrell
THOMAS OF WISHARD £ 20; PETER DAVID £ 10; THOMAS EDWARDS £ 5. All the rest
of my servants which shall live with me at time of my death to each of them
one years wages. (see Mutton David & Sir Francis Edwards elsewhere)

to JOHN MYDDDELTON Esq £ 20 & to JOHN MYDDDELTON of London, Grocer £ 20
to each of the children of SIR FRANCIS EDWARDS, Bart: which are now living
£ 20
to ye Rt. Rev. DR. FELL le BISHOP of Oxford £ 50

to Christ Church, Oxford 200

to My CHAPLAIN MR. BOUND 5

to ye ARCH DEACON HUGHES 5

to SIR JOHN SALISBURY, Bart: 20

to CAPT: ELLIS SUTTON, my Capt. Lieut. 5

ty CURATE of CHIRKE 20

DR. POWELL 5

COLL: ROBINSON 40

RICHARD PARRY Esq: 20

COLL: WILLIAM PRICE 40 shillings to buy him a ring = 2

JOHN WYNNE of Melay Esq:

SIR THOMAS WILBRAHAM, Bart: "a promise made by me to be paid in three years after my decease" £ 2000

(Note: Sir Thomas Middleton has bequeathed well over £ 20,000 which does not include his wife's moiety, nor "his whole estate" which is to revert to his closest male heir according to seniority of birth, his issue, or in the event of no such issue to his brother Richard and his heirs male and so to his other brother and in turn to his uncles. This whole will is based on seniority of birth in the male line of the family. Stars indicate the seniority of the male line. His grand mother's will left "ye Grest Silver Candlesticks to ye heires of my family as heirlooms" and even they were to revert to the male line.) AGW

He owned land in counties of DENSBYGH, FLINT & MERONITH. CADEGAN HOUSE was part of his wife's joynture.
THOMAS MIDDLETON of CHIRKE CASTLE in ye county of DENBIGH, BARt
wd 24 Feb 1679/80 (Pub Rec Office, London Ref: E 214/1409 4977)
wp
wit: JOHN FISHER, THOMAS LINSEY, WILLIAM SMENT?, THO: WITHENCEN
EXOR: wife CHARLOTTE MIDDLETON sole executrix

Trustees: THO: GROSVENOR, Bart; SIR JOHN BRIDGEMAN Bart,
THOMAS CHOLMONDLEY Esq & MUTTON DAVID.
"... being in perfect health & memory......and my body to be interred in
ye Parish Church of Chirke in ye vault belonging to my family in ye
Chauncell of the said Church. ITEM: Whereas upon my marriage Settlement
it is provided amongst other things that if I have a daughter she is to
have £ 6000 porcon. It is my will & I doe hereby give and bequeath to
my other onely daughter CHARLOT MYDDLETON in Case I shall have noe sonn
living at the time, of my decease ye summe of £ 10,000 as an Adicon to
her said porcon to make b{ ye same ye summe of 16,000 £ And in case I
shall have a Son, then my said Daughter to have £ 4000 to make by the
said porcon to bee £ 20,000. And in case I shall the time of my decease
leave two or more Daughters & one Son living; then in such case I leave
& bequeath to each Daughter the sev'nal sumes of £ 5000 a piece &
above such porcon as is respectively made for them by my said marriage
settlement & for the more effectual reteilng of the said porcons & for
ye better paymt of my debts & legacies I desire & bequeath All & Singular
my(L-ones-can't read), Mannors, Lordships, Messuages, Lands, Tene-
ments & hereditarments whatsoever situate lyeing & being in ye severall
Countryes of Denbigh, Flint & Merionith (Except the land limited for my
wives Joynture for her life only) unto SIR THOMAS GROSVENOR of Eaton in
ye County of Palatine of Chester Bart, SIR JOHN BRIDGMAN of Castle BRIDGE
in ye County of WARRICK Bart, THOMAS CHOLMONDLY of (Verte?)royall in ye
said County of Palatine of Chester Esqr & MUTTON DAVIS of Llannerck in ye
said County of DENBIGH Esqr & their heirs To have and To hold all ye said
premises with ye appurtenances (except for ye lands limited for my wives
joyntures for ye terme of her life as is before expressed) unto ye said
SIR THOMAS GROSVENOR, SIR JOHN BRIDGMAN, THO: CHOLMONDLEY & MUTTON DAVIES
& their heirs In trust and confidence to ye Intent & purpose that they
& ye survivors & survivors of them & their heirs shall xxxby out of the
rents & profits of ye premises before devised ye severall persons & sumes
before menconed for my daughter & daughters And alsoe that out of ye Rents
Issues & profits thereof they shall raise & Leavy ye severall sumes here-
inafter specified. Item: My will is that ye porcon & porcons limited
for my said Daughter & Daughters shall be truly paid unto them or their
use when they shall attaine to their sev'nal Ages of fourtie & yeares or
be married which shall first happen Provided that they shall not marry
without the consent of my said wife their Mother & of my Trustees afore
said or such of them as shall be then living. ITEM: My further will is that
ye said porcon or porcons shall be layed out & disposed of to ye best
benefit as ye same shall be raised & leaveyed by & with ye advise &
care of my said Trustees ye ad SIR THO: GROSVENOR, SIR JNO: BRIDGEMAN
THO: CHOLMONDLEY & MUTTON DAVIES & their heirs. And that in ye means
time untill ye same or one halfe thereof shall be raised I leave & be-
queath to my said Daughter CHARLOTTE ye sume of £ 100 yearly for ye first
four yeares, And afterwards the sume of £ 200 yearly for her maintenance
untill the moaty of her said porcon shall be raised as aforesaid And in
like manner I leave & bequeath ye like yearly sume & sumes for ye main-
tenance of my said other daughter and Daughters for ye like & under
limitasons aforesaid And my will is that ye porcons of my Daughters
shall be raised & paid unto them severally according to their respect-
ive ages and seniority of birth, ITEM: my will is that from & after
paymt of the said porcons & sumes for present maintenance and from &
after paymt of such sumes of money as I shall owe at ye time of my de-
cease, And also of such other soemes of money bequests & Legacyes as
are herein after particularly menconed And doe devise & bequeath that
my said Trustees ye said Sir THOMAS GROSVENOR, SIR JOHN BRIDGE-
MAN, THOMAS CHOLMONDELEY & NUTTON DAVIES & their heires shall stand & be
seized of all and singular ye premises with ye appurtenances excepted
is before excepted to ye use & behoof of the heires Male of my body
lawfully to be begotten & in default of such issue then to ye use of
RICHARD MYDDLETON ESQ my brother for & during ye terme of his natural
life without Impeachmt of wast(e) And from & after his decease to ye
use of the first sonn of the said RICHARD lawfully to be begotten &
their heires Male of ye body of such first Sonn lawfully Issueing And
in default of such Issue to ye use of ye second, third, fourth & every
other Son & sons of ye said RICHARD lawfully to bee cotten & ye heires
Male of ye body & bodyes first second third fourth & every other son
& sons lawfully issuinge as they & every of them shall be in Seniority
of birth & Age the Older Sonn & the heires Male of his body to be
always preferred before the younger son & the heires Male of his body.

And in default of such issue then to the use & behoofe of THOMAS MIDDLE-
TON ESQR my other brother (Note here that two brothers are both named
Thomas the testator and his brother) for and during his natural life
...............(here the same is repeated as to inheritance).............
(as was written above for the first brother & his heires).............
...............And in default of such issue to ye use & behoofe of RICHARD
Thomas (Thomas is scratched through and Richard inserted above)
MYDDLETON of ye City of London Merchant my Uncle for ye terme of his
natural life without impeachmt of wast And from & after his Decease of
the first sonn of the said RICHARD MYDDLETON MERCHANT lawfully to be
begotten & of heires male of the body of such first sonn lawfully
issuinge And in default of such issue to ye use of ye second, third,
fourth & every other son & sons of ye said RICHARD MYDDLETON Merchant
lawfully to be begotten and of ye heires Male of ye body & bodyes of
such second, third, fourth & every other son & sons lawfully issuinge
&c.............And in default of such issue to ye use & behoofe of
CHARLES MYDDLETON ESQR one other of my uncles for & during the terme
of his natural life &c..................(repeat of line of seniority)......

PAGE 7 OF THIS WILL IS MISSING FROM THE COPY

Page 6 of will begins:
same to be revised & leaveyed out of ye rents Issues & pfitts of the
premisses Devised in Trust to ye said THOMAS GROSVENOR, SIR UNO: BRIDGE-
MAN, THOMAS CHOLMONDELEY & NUTTON DAVIES (except as before expressed) &
Thomas Middleton, Bart, will continued

that they & their heires shall stand & bee thereof seized for the better leavynge of the said Rent charge accordingly.

ITEM: I leave & bequeath ye Great Silver Candlesticks to goe according to my Grandmother's will to ye heires of my family with my Estate as an heirloom forever. ITEM: My will is and I doe leave & bequeath the use of my Goods & Stock & household stuffe to my wife for soe long time as she shall inhabit & dwell at CHIRKE CASTLE And from thenceforth I leave ye same to my Eldest Sonn & heire or such other as shall bee ye heire male of my family according to ye Limitacons aforesd onely/further will is that my wife shall have such proccon of the said goods, household stuffe & stock for the furnishing & stocking of CADEGAN (or Cadiegan) HOUSE & doresone? being parts of her joynture as shall be judged fitt by ye said Sir &c (trustees are named here again) I leave and bequeath to ORLANDO my godson £ 100. ITEM: to blank WARBURTON daughter of GEORGE WARBURTON Esqr & my goddaughter £ 100 ITEM: I leave to my sister BENNETT £ 100 ITEM: L leave to my servant PETER FOULKE £ 6 yearly for his life with my wearing apparel. ITEM: I leave to ye Right Reverend DR. FELL LE BISHOP of OXFORD £ 50 ITEM: I leave to Christ Church College in OXFORD £ 200 ITEM: I leave to my servant THOMAS of WISARD £ 20 ITEM: I leave to my servant PETER DAVID £ 10 ITEM: I leave to my servant THOMAS EDWARDS £ 5.

ITEM: I leave to all the rest of my servants which shall live with me at time of my death each of them one yeares wages. ITEM: I leave to ye Rt. Honorable the LORD CHOLMONTLEY my honoured Brother in Law £ 20 ITEM: I leave to SIR JOHN SALISBURY BART. £ 20, To JOHN WYNNE of NELAY Esqr. £ 5. ITEM: to CHARLES MAINWARING Esqr. £ 20 & my young black stoned horse. ITEM: I leave to MUTTON DAVID (DAVIES) Esqr £ 20. ITEM: I leave to JOHN MYDDELTON Esqr £ 20 ITEM: I leave to the children of SIR FRANCIS EDWARDS BART: which are now living £ 20 a piece ITEM: I leave to JOHN MYDDELTON of London Grocer £ 20 ITEM: to HUGH MEREDITH of entre Sysem I leave £ 20 ITEM: I leave to his grandson THOMAS MEREDITH my godson £ 100 ITEM: I leave to my brother RICHARD MYDDELTON in Case I shall have Issue Male living to inherit my estate £ 500. ITEM: ...to my brother THOMAS MYDDELTON in such case £ 500 ITEM: I leave to my Aunt MAINWARING £ 20 ITEM: I leave to my uncle THOMAS CHOLMONTLEY Esqr £ 50 ITEM: I leave to my uncle FRANCIS CHOLMONTLEY Esqr (£ torn) I leave to my uncle RICHARD MYDDELTON £ 10 ITEM: I leave to my uncle CHARLES MYDDELTON £ 5 ITEM: I leave to my Chaplain MR. SUNDY £ 5 ITEM: I leave to ye Arch Deacon HUGHES £ 5 ITEM: I leave SIR THOMAS WILBRAM BART: in pursuance of a former promise by mee made £ 2000: £ 1000 parts thereof to be paid to him in three years after my Decease & the other £ 1000 within three years thennext following, ITEM: I leave to DR. SAUNDERS who was my tutor in OXFORD £ 20 ITEM: I leave to RICHARD PRARY Esqr £ 20 ITEM: I leave to COLL: WILLIAM PRICE forty shillings to buy him a ring. ITEM: I leave to my kinsman MR. JUSTICE MANLEY HOWARD of my Court £ 20 ITEM: L leave to DR. POWELL £ 5 ITEM: to ye CURATE OF CHIRKE twenty shillings ITEM: to COLL: ROBINSON £ 40 ITEM:
Thomas Middleton, Bart, will continued to CAPT: ELLIS(on?) SUTTON my Capt. Lieut. & S.

I leave whosoever shall be my heire all my stables of horses All which Legacies except that of SIR THO: WILBRAHAM I will shall be paid within 3 years after my decease And I constitute nominate & appoint my said wife CHARLOTTE MYDDDELTON to be Sole Executrix of this my last Will & Testament revoakeing all former wills by me made & I have signed this my last will & testament in ye bottome of each page being four in number (original must have been written on large sheets, copy is 12 pages long) ITEM: In case my estate for want of Issue Male shall come to my said Brothers RICHARD, & THOMAS according to the limitacons aforesaid my will is that it shall be lawfull for them or such of them as shall enjoy my said estate by vertue of ye said Limitacon to charge ye said premises by Deed or Will in writeing dulye executed(except as before excepted) with any sume of money not exceeding £ 6000 for younger Children & not otherwise, And that ye said SIR THOMAS GROSVENOR, SIR JOHN BRIDGEMAN, THOMAS CHOLMONDELEY & MUTTON DAVIES DAVIDS & their heires shall stand & be seiqd thereof for ye use aforesaid accordingly. In witness whereof I have hereunto put my hand & seal ye day & year first above written.

THO: MYDDDELTON

Signed sealed & published in ye presence of

JOHN ffISHER, THOMAS LINSEY, WILLIAM SMENT, THO: WITHERDEN

NOTE:
The name Middleton is spelled several ways in this will and the names of others are variously spelled also. The name Davis or Daviss, I believe should be David or Davids. AGW.
LADY ANNE WILLOUGHBY (see this will in Hutchinson report) BARBADOS will signed 3 Aug 1683 (of 24 Sep 1966) w. entered 7 Aug 1685 To be buried under her pew in the Parish Church widow of THE RT. HON. LORD JOHN WILLOUGHBY

She named:
Her sister: ELIZABETH HARRIS

ABRAHAM LANDFORD (Langford?) no relationship shown

"to her gossip" MRS. HONNOR SICKFORD (Lankford?)
(Originally a "gossip" meant a sponsor in Baptism)

WILLIAM CLARKE ----------and his son----------- ANTHONY CLARKE
Overseer of her plantation

to her servant LETITIA CRESTON

THOS: BEALE, Doctor of her plantation

cousin JOHN GRAY ----------his nephews---------- --JOHN GRAY
  RICHARD GRAY ----------his sons------------RICHARD GRAY
dec'd 1683
  FRANCES GRAY widow of Richard (called cousin)

COL. RICHARD GUY ---------- ELIZABETH GORMING
  DANIEL DYKE the younger  -- THOMAS GORMING

cousin JOHN GORMING --father of---'

cousin ----GOURING & ---- son of ANNE & Thomas GOURING
  his wife her niece ANNE under 21 in 1683

niece ELIZABETH GOURING ---her dau--- ELIZABETH GOURING (called cousin)
  (wife of JOHN?) under 15 yrs in 1683

friends: JOHN WITHAM & MARY his wife
WILLOUGHBY CHAMBERLAIN & his sister BETTY CHAMBERLAIN—no relation given

MRS. ALICE STRANGE of Hannan, Somerset, England

KATHERINE ROGERS, widow & her children:--JOHN, WM; ANN, MARIAN, &
  PRISCILLA ROGERS.
CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ.
  b 1601
d bef Apr 1657 in Alhalowes, Barking
  London, England
1610 - to Virginia in the ship Prosperous
1623/4 - among the living at "Basses Choice" on So. side of James River.
1627 - "of Rochester, England"
1644-1647 - Merchant of Red Lyon Alley
  = by 1631 possibly ca 1627-1628. ---------
(ALICE LAYTON ?)
b ca 1610 - 1612 d
  Daughter of JOHN LAYTON who, in the Fall
  of 1600 married ANN BURRA, maid servt.
  of Mistress Forrest, the first English
  marriage on American soil, who were
  living at Basses Choice in 1623/4,
1654 - ALICE WILLOUGHBY trans to Lower
  Norfolk Co. by Capt. Thos Willoughby.

RICHARD THOMPSON of Northumberland Co.
b d bef. 1649

= URSULA BISHE
b d
  Widow of Kinoughtan in 1649
  = (2) bef 1655

COL. JOHN MOLTROM
b d bef 1655
  = (3) by Jan 1656/7

GEORGE COLCOUGH
b d bef 1664
  = (4) by 1664

IZAAC ALLERTON
b d

--- ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY
b ca 1650 - 1654 ?
d = (1) ca 1659 as his 2nd wife

SIMON OVERZEE of Maryland,
  New England & Virginia.
b d by 1660
  = (2) be 1 Mar 1660/1

MAJOR GEORGE COLCOUGH
b d by Sep 1662
  = (3) betw 1662-Feb 1663/4

ISAAC ALLERTON of Westmore-
  land Co., Va.
b d
  1636 - ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY
  trans to Accomac Co by John
  Bell.

1654 - ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY
  trans to Lower Norfolk Co.
  by her father.

--- THOMAS WILLOUGHBY II
b Xmas day 1632
  + of Southern Branch
  + b 1654/5
  Had issue by...................................
  d 1710/11

MARY BENNETT maid servant
  of Capt. Thos Willoughby
  b d
  she = betw 1655 - 1662

JOHN HERBERT I
He = by 1660 .................................

--- SARAH THOMPSON
b d
  wd 1673 wp 1673/4

--- RICHARD THOMPSON
--- ELIZABETH THOMPSON

--- WILLOUGHBY ALLERTON
b after 1664

--- MARY ALLERTON
b after 1664

--- SARAH ALLERTON
b after 1664

--- FRANCES ALLERTON
b aft 1664
THOMAS WILLUGHBY I, Merchant

b ca. 1601 (23 years old in 1624)  (00246)
d bef Apr 1657 in Alhalowes, Barking, (Caribbeana 5p205)

1627 - "of Rochester, England"  (Sainsbury)
1644 - 1647: "Merchant of Red Lyon Alley, St. Botolph, Algate, London  (Merchant Taylors School Register)
England."

Feb 1624/5 - MUSTER OF ENSIGNE THOMAS WILLUGHBY, Elizabeth City

THOMAS WILLUGHBY, aged 23, in the "Prosperous" in 1610

Servants:
JOAN CHAUNDLER, aged 24, in the "Hercules" in 1609
THOMAS  , aged 20, in the great "Hopewell" in 1623
ROBERT BENNETT, aged 24, in the "Jacob" in 1624
NICCOLAS DAVIS, aged 13, in the "Marie Gould" in 1618

Arms: Peeces 4, pistolle 1, swords 3, Armors & Coats 4, powder 5 lb., lead 150 lb.  (J 53)

NOTE: Other passengers on the "Prosperous" in 1610 were: WM: BALEY, WM: ASKEW, JOHN CARTER, MIHELW WILCOCKES, THOMAS HARRIS, JOHN WILCOCKES (J 7,10,12,25,35,51,52,202,259)

Other passengers in the "Create Hopewell" in 1623 were:
MATHEW ROBINSON (in WM: Tucker's Muster), EDWARD FALLOWES, HENERY LAC- TON, THOMAS KERFITT, JOHN BUCKMASTER, JOHN BADELEY, ROBERT SHEPPEARD, WM: SAWIER, JOHN HACKER, SAMWELL PARSON, WM: GREENE, SARA MEDCALFE, ROBERT TODD, ANTHONIE BURT (1622), MORRIS STANLEY (1624), and THOMAS KEELING and RACHELL LANE came in the HOPEWELL et al in 1628-NU 22.

16 Feb 1623 - THOMAS WILLUGHBY was among the living at "Sasses Choice" on South side of James River. Among others living there were: CAPT: NATHANIEL BASSE, JOHN POWELL, PETER HEREFORD, WILLIAM CORNE, CAPT. WILLIAM TUCKER, CAPT. NICH: MARTEAW, DANIELL TANNER, STEPHEN SHERE (Capt. Tucker's servant), RICHARD JONES, MARY TUCKER, WILLIAM JULIAN, WILLIAM KEMP, WALTER MASON, SARA JULIAN, JOHN SIBSEY, JOSEPH MOSLEY, JOHN CHEESMAN, WILLIAM MORTEN, CAPT. THO: DAVIES, ROBERT SALFORD, WILLIAM CAYNE, ADAM THOROOGOOD, JOHN ROBINSON, FRANCIS MASON, MARY MASON which are just a few of those listed. Almost all of these sur- names later became familiar in the early records of Lower Norfolk Co.  (QQ 183-167)

May 1625 - by Pattent, On ye Southly Side of ye Maine River (James River) against Elizabeth City:  (Lower Norfolk County in 1636)

THOMAS WILLUGHBY 100 acres by Pattent
CAPT: WILLIAM TUKER 680 acres by Pattent
LEIFT: JO: CHEESMAN 200 acres by Pattent  (QQ 274 )
JOHN SIBSEY 250 acres by Pattent  (4VC 556)
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May 1625 - On ye Easterly Side of Southampton River there are 3000 acres belonging to the Virginia Company of London, at Elizabeth City, planted and 1500 acres Comone land.

JOHN POWELL 150 acres planted by Patent
CAPT: WILLIAM TUCKER 150 acres by Patent
JOHN SALFORD 50 acres planted
ROBERT SALFORD 100 acres planted by Patent
ROBERT SALFORD 100 acres planted by Patent
WILLIAM JULIAN 150 acres planted
WILLIAM GANY 200 acres planted by Patent
WILLIAM CAPPS dividend
BARTHOLOMEW HOSKINS 100 acres by order of Court
THOMAS WILLOWBY 200 acres

12 Dec 1625, Court held:
At the humble desire of ENSIGNE THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, ye courte hath as- sented he shall have 200 acres of land scytuate aboute two myles with- inthe mouth of Pomyntyke River (now York River) and abbuttinge Westerlye on a Creeke and thence extending 100 pole, along ye banke of ye river on ye Southerlye side of the said river, provided, that he plant and seate upon the saide lande, or some part of the said land, within seaven years next after the date heerof ensueinge or else ye sd lande to be free for any other to make choysse &c ye saide THOMAS WILLOUGHBY TO TAKE HIS SAID DEVIDENT IN some other place. (MCGC 79 )

NOTE: Sir Thomas Purfurie, John Laydon, and others all had land in the area of the above patent. Thomas Willoughbyes 200 acres and the 50 acres assigned to him by Capt. William Tucker plus the 150 acres of Miles Prickett "now in tenure of Willoughby in 1629" is called "Willoughby Poynt" in 1635. (see later) (AGW)
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Ensigne THOMAS WILLOUGHBY apparently left shortly after December 1625 for he is returning to the Colony of Virginia from England in the following item:

1627 - There is in Sainsbury's Calendar of Colonial State Papers (vol 1) a certificate dated 1627 by THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, of Rochester, aged 27 years (the right age) in regard to a ship in which he was about to go to Virginia. There can hardly be any doubt that he was the planter, returning from a visit home. (V 1p448)

4 Jul 1627 - Court held at James Citty (NGGC 151)

At this Court was thought fitt that we should draw out Partyes from all our plantations & goe upon the Indians & cutt downe their corne, and further that we should sett upon them all in one day viz, the first of August next: The plantations of the Necke of Land & the Collodged to goe upon the Tanx Powhatans, both the Shirley-Hundred, Jordaines Jurney, Chaplaines Choisce & Perseys Hundred upon the Townes of ye Welingoacks & ye Appamatuckes, The Corporation of James Citty upon ye Chicahomones & the Tappahannaes, Warwick-River, Warosquiacke & Newportes-News, upon the plantation of the Warosquycacks: ELIZABETH CITTY upon ye Nansamungs & Chesapeiacks.

Comaunders appointed for these services are these, viz, for Tanx Powhatans Left. Tho. Osborne in Cheife, Tho. Harris seconde: for Appamatucke & ye Walingoacks Ensigne Epes & Mr. Powlet & to make choice of their seconds: for the Chicahomines Capt. Peirce in cheife, Mr. Harwood seconde: for the Tappahannaes Capt West in cheife, Mr. Grindon second: for the Warosquacks Capt. Mathews: for the Nansamungs Lt. Tho: Purfury: for the CHESAPIACKS ENSIGNE WILLOBY.

17 Oct -date missing- (Nugent gives 1628) (NGGC 173)

At this Court CAPT: WILLIAM TUCKER made over unto ENSIGNE THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Elizabeth City and to his heires and assigns for ever 50 acres of land due unto him the said CAPTAIN WILLIAM TUCKER for the transportation of STRENGTH (STEPHEN?) SHERE who came in the Ellenor in 1621.

17 Nov 1628 Patent to ENSIGNE WILLOUGHBY, Gent. of Elizabeth City 50 acres, Westly upon Salfords Creek, E unto the land formerly granted to MILES PRICKETT now in the tenure of WILLOUGHBY. Due for Transportation of STRENGTH SHERE who came at the charge of CAPT: WILLIAM TUCKER in the Ellins in 1621 & made over to sd Willoughby by Act of Court 17 Oct 1628. (MILES PRICKETT had 150 acres planted on ye East side of Southampton River in Elizabeth Citty May 1625) (AVC558)

3 Mar 1628/9 Court held at James Citty (NGGC 188)

It is ordered that the goods of GEORGE SHORTON shall be sould at an outcry by the appoyntt of ENSIGNE THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and bills shall bee taken for the paymt of such tobaccoes as shall arise thereof, and the said bills to bee delivered unto such as shall have the administration thereof or to those to whom they shall otherwise belong.

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4 Mar 1629/9 Court held at James City (MCGC 190)
Whereas it appeared that NICHOLAS -blank- (DAVIS 00245) was to serve M' THOMAS WILLOUGHBY untill the age of -blank-. The said M' Willoughby did now signifie to this Court that hee is Content to accepte the said Nicholas to serve him fower years after the present date and then to let him free.

7 Mar 1629/9 Court at James City (MCGC 192-3)
It was ordered that these Commissions following bee renewed as followeth viz: ffor Elizabeth Citty it is thought fitt that CAPT: THOS: PURFURY shall bee principall Commaunder there and his Charg to bee more particularly for the execucon of all matters belonging to Shipping and such warrants as shall issue from the Governor and Councell. LEIFT: WILLOUGHBY to be Commaunder under him at MARIES MOUNT (South shore of James River near mouth of Nanzemund River NU 17) and so downwards to CAPTAIN TUCKERS plantacon.

A like Commission for a monethly Court at Elizabeth Citty the Commissiners whereof to bevizt: CAPT: PURFURY, LEIFT: WATERS, LEIFT: WILLOUGHBY, LEIFT: THOMPSON, MR. THOROWGOOD, MR. LYONNELL ADUuSTON ?, MR. WILLIAM KEMPE, MR. JOHN DOWNEMAN......Capt. Purfury and Leift: Waters to be allwaies one.

1625-1629, 20 Mar - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Commissioner for Upper Eliz. City (IH133)
9 Apr 1629 - Peticon of LEIFT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY for restoring part of the Parish. (MCGC196)

16 Oct 1629/30 - Burgess for Upper Elizabeth City Co. (IH139)
1629-1630 - Burgess for Upper Elizabeth City Co. (IH149)
21 Feb 1631/2 - Burgess for """" & Waters Creek (IH154)
1631-1632 - Burgess for """" "" "" (IH154)

1631 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY to view the place where a fort was to be built at Poynt Comfort. Built by CAPT: SAMUEL MATHEWS. (IH150)

Sep 1632 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Burgess, elected a Member of the Councell for Upper part of Elizabeth City Co. (IH179)
1632 - Burgess of the Upper Parish of Elizabeth City (JHBxii)

1637 - was the year that Lower Norfolk County was divided from Elizabeth City County. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY seems to disappear from the records at this time which may indicate another trip to England. Inasmuch as he had 100 acres of land in the Lower Norfolk County area in May of 1625 it seems logical to think that his "now dwelling house" in the 1635 patent was built between these two dates, even finished by 1632.
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19 Nov 1635 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Patent for 300 acres adjacent land now in his possession (100 acres in 1625) N upon the maine river (James River), Sly into the woods & E upon his now dwelling house. For transportation of 6 persons: JOHN DRAPER, GILES COLLINS, THEOD: LOYD, JON: SCOT, WM: PALMER, WALTER HOWELL. Note: Renewed in his name 19 Mar 1643. Test SAM: ABBOTT, Clr: (NU34 & Pat Sk 1 Pt 1 p311)

19 Nov 1635 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Patent for 300 acres Elizabeth City Co. Upon the "hither" Creek between FRANCIS MASON & his own land, S upon the woods, W upon the Creek, N upon land formerly taken up by him. For transportation of 6 persons: JON: PINCHES, HOWELL HAYWARD, JON: DAVID, WEYMOUTH VENSEY, JON: WOOD, RICH: JACKSON. Note renewed 19 Mar 1643 in his name. 3AMALL: ABBOT, Clr: (NU34 & Pat Sk 1 Pt 1 p312)

These two patents were at what became Willoughby Spit, and with the 1625 patent of 100 acres total 700 acres as his holdings there in 1635.

19 Nov 1635 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Patent for 300 acres in Elizabeth River, being 2 or 3 small necks of land, W upon a Branch of Elizabeth River, SE upon the maine land & N upon the Sly branch of Elizabeth River. Transportation of 6 persons: TYMOTHY BARLOE, NICH: FORTESCUE, JON: FARROW, MARY WORMEWEll, ROBT: BARKWITH, DENIS (or Dennis) REEVE.

This last patent would seem to be on the Eastern side of the Southern Branch of Elizabeth River to be bounded on the North by the Southern Branch and Westerly on a branch (Southern?) of Elizabeth River.

The only way this land could possibly be on two different branches of Elizabeth River is: Bounded on the West by Scotts Creek, SE upon the main land, & N upon the mouth of the Southern Branch where it flows into the Eastern Branch. The latter places it at or near Hospital Point. Inasmuch as WILLIAM TUCKER previously assigned land to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY seems to indicate a fairly close relationship between the two men. Hospital Point having previously been called Tuckers Point may have some significance.

The 1625 patent of 200 acres and the 50 acres assigned to him in 1628 by WILLIAM TUCKER total 250 acres in the Upper Part of Elizabeth City (on the North side of the James River) MILES PRICKETT was granted 150 acres there in 1625 "already planted" (4VC558). In the assignment to Thomas by William Tucker in 1628 Miles Prickett's patent is "now in the tenure of Thomas Willoughby". Were his total land holdings in this area 250 acres or 400 acres?

Who was PEETER WILLOUGHBY a headright in the patent 22 Jun 1635 to CAPT: WILLIAM PEIRCE ESCR (one of the Council of State) in Lunnes Creek (James City County)? Among the headrights in this patent were ALICE LAWSON, a Norfolk County name, and THOMAS ROLFE who could have been the son of Pocohantas. Thomas Rolfe was born 1615 and came to Virginia at about the age of 20 or 25 years.

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13 Feb 1636 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Patent for 100 acres at "Muskeeto Point", E upon the second Eastern Branch of Elizabeth River, W upon Warwick Squake, S upon the Southern Branch & N upon James River (Glebe Creek?) for the transportation of 2 persons: THOMAS PRICE & WILLIAM KELRIDGE. (Note: this must be what later became the Glebe Land near Norfolk Town) (NUS4 & Pat 8k 1 pt 1 p410)

(Note: If you will look at one of the very early maps the land to the South of Glebe Creek did face the Southern Branch to the South and the Warwick Squake Indians were across to the West in what became Nansemond County.) Hospital Point extended out into the river 1000 feet longer than it now shows on more recent maps, thus extending the mouth of the Southern Branch directly below the Glebe Land, and to the West of the Eastern Branch's mouth.)

13 Feb 1636 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Patent for 200 acres upon the main of Elizabeth River (Town Point), N upon James River (Glebe Creek?), S upon the first Eastern Branch of Elizabeth River & E N E into the woods. (This is the site of the future Norfolk Town 50 acs, plus 130 acres North of it which was bounded on the West by "Dun in the Mire" Creek, later known as Newton's Creek) For the transportation of 4 persons: JON: ARROE, PHILLIP STEPHENS, JON: SEAGLE, ANN DAWSON. Renewed by Sir William Berkeley 1 Apr 1644 in the name of JOHN WATKINS. Test: SAMLL: ABBOTT, Cl. (NUS4 & Pat 8k 1 pt 1 p411)

(Note: The Glebe Land is given as a boundary in the Patent to ABRAM ELETT (Elliott) the 25 Mar 1664. The Northern boundary of his patent was the land of WILLIAM SHIP 2 miles in length Nud & 3 wd in 1654 (Nco D 346) (3N33) (Lnc A 344) (A 12). The Chapel of Ease of Elizabeth River Parish completed in 1641 must have been in the area of William Ship's land, and probably on the Glebe Land. (see Mason 159)

28 Feb 1636 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Patent for 300 acres upon the 3. Branch of Elizabeth River beginning with the Jare Neck. Head rights are not given. Due for the transportation of 5 persons. (This is most probably a renewal of the 19 Nov 1635 patent in the Southern Branch) (NU 119)

In May 1638 THOMAS LAMBERT had a Patent for 200 acres Lower Norfolk County, being a ridge of Land lying up a Creek called "Dun out of the Mire" coming between the land of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & JOHN GATER. (NU 64)

In May 1638 THOMAS TODD had a Patent for 250 acres Lower Norfolk County, being a neck of land lying up the back creek called Little Creek between the plantations of CAPT: ADAM THOROUGHGOOD & CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, about a mile up the creek on the W side, Nely above an Indian Field about the space of a mile, said field having a fresh water pond joyning unto it. (NU 92)

1: Glebe Creek was previously called Ellets Creek and in 1636 James Creek.
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16 May 1636 ELIZABETH Willoughby was transported to Accomac County by JOHN BELL. (1636)  

16 May 1637 - Whereas SARAH (PURSLIT?) - widow, being big with child and destitute of any place of abiding, did complain of the same unto the right worshipful SIR JOHN HARVEY, Knight, Governor &c who did order that the aforesaid Sarah should forthwith be married unto THOMAS HUGHS, the reported father of her child, man-servant to CAPT: WILLOUGHBY, the same being lawfully asked, it is therefore ordered that MR. JOHN WILSON, minister of ELIZABETH RIVER, after lawful publication of the banns shall solemnize matrimony betwixt them, it is also further ordered that ROBERT DAREY, agent of CAPT: WILLOUGHBY, shall give towards the maintenance of the sd Sarah, one bushel of corn in the behalfe of CAPT: WILLOUGHBY and likewise to give leave unto the aforesaid THOMAS HUGHS to go to the sd Sarah Purslit? at convenient times, not hindering his masters business. (Lm C2)  

1637 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, Justice of the Peace of Lower Norfolk County. (JS 281)  

6 Feb 1636/9 - Whereas WILLIAM SHIPPE, Planter, hath made it appear that he hath according to the conditions of his lease made with CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY proffered the sale on his ground unto the AGENT of the aforesaid CAPT: WILLOUGHBY, and the said agent having refused it, hath now sold the said land unto JOHN HOLMES, planter. It is therefore ordered that the said JOHN HOLMES shall peaceably enjoy the said ground. (Lm C 12)  

CAPT: WILLOUGHBY has been "out of the Colony" since 15 May 1637 returning to preside at Court 2 Mar 1639/40. A trip lasting 2 years and 10 months. (See Noo A 52 for proof of his trip)  

10 Mar 1639/40- THOMAS WILLOUGHBY transported to Warwick County, Va. by ROBERT NEWMAN. (No 112)  

He presides at Court on the following days: 2 Mar 1639/40 Ap25  

30 Mar 1640 Ap28  

25 May 1640 Ap33  

30 Jun 1640 - Whereas CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, ESQ., represented to this court that he had lent one barrel of gunpowder containing one hundred weight to accommodate the funeral of CAPT: FRANCIS HOOK the late Command-erof the Fort at Point Comfort and one of his Majesty's and Councillors for Virginia, the court hath therefore ordered that the said CAPT: WIL-LOUGHBY shall be satisfied the same from the present captain of the fort out of powder belonging to the public. (MSS 458) (Note: Capt. Hook died in 1637 and it has taken 3 years to collect this, another indication of his absence from the Colony)  

He presides at Court on the following days: 5 Jul 1640 Ap35  

3 Aug 1640 Ap43  

23 Sep 1640 Ap50  

2 Nov 1640 - WM: KITTELL to serve CAPT: WILLOUGHBY for 3 years beginning the 1 Jan 1640/1. (No 82)
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He presided at Court held at his house: 30 Nov 1640 Ap56
and on: 4 Jan 1640/1 Ap50

4 Jan 1640/1 - CAPT: WILLOUGHBY to be first satisfied out of the estate of GILBERT GUY, deceased, a debt of 14 shillings 6 pence. (Nco A60)

He presided at Court: 15 Mar 1640/1 Ap69

15 Mar 1640/1 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY hath disclaimed in Court for himself and MR. HENRY SEAWELL the overseership of the last will and testament of CAPT: (ADAM) THORROWGOOD dec'd. (Nco A69)

He presided at Court: 12 Apr 1641 Ap75
2 May 1641 Ap78

2 May 1641 - Whereas it appeareth to this court by depositions that certain corne is due from the estate of CAPT: ADAM THORROWGOOD deceased unto CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, the said corne beinge delivered by the servants of the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY unto CAPT: ADAM THORROWGOOD's horses, the which this bord hauinge taken into consideration, have therefore ordered that MR. JOHN GOCKINS, who intermarried with MRIS: SARAH THORROWGOOD, late wife to the said CAPT: THORROWGOOD deceased shall satisfy and deliver unto the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY at his now dwelling house the quant-ity of 4 barrels of corne within 30 days, otherwise execution.(Nco A79)

3 May 1641 - The deposition of WILLIAM TRUMBALL, 26 years, sayeth that he, this deponent, having order from REST: DAREY to carry corne to CAPT: THORROWGOOD's horses the which this deponent did, carrying them a hominy sifter full of corne and further saith that he hath seen divers of CAPT: THORROWGOOD's servants carry them corne and at sundry times as namely JOHN WEE, WILLIAM STEEVENS, JAMES SMITH and JOHN HALLECK and two of CAPT: WILLOUGHIES servants, namely JOHN SCOTT, JOHN BOLTON, and further saith not.

The deposition of JOHN WATTFORD, 32 sayeth that an agreement produced unto this court bearinge date the 9th of January 1639, is a true and absolute agreement made betwixen WILLM: CRUCH and TRISTRUM MASSON.

The deposition of REST: DAREY, 36, sayeth, that CAPT: ADAM THORROWGOOD, being at the house of CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY ESQR, this deponent found occasion to speak unto the said CAPT: THORROWGOOD and told him that CAPT: WILLOUGHBY's servants did grumble that the corne was given unto the said CAPT: THORROWGOOD's horses and they being on election to Count whereupon the said CAPT: THORROWGOOD replied that what corne they had eaten he would make satisfaction for to the full and damandez of this deponent what corne he thought the horses had eaten who toold him, 3 barrels of corne and the said CAPT: THORROWGOOD said that he had 3 barrels of corn at LEIFT: MASSON's the which, if he could tell how to gett downe to the said CAPT: WILLOUGHIES he would make payment thereof in satisfaction of what corne his horses had eaten, whereupon this deponent mad answer that, being it was so near he would goe and receive it but, in a short time after, this deponent hearings that GILBERT GUY had received
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the said corn, he sought noe further after it, and further deposeth
that since the "last arrival of the said CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY into
this Colony", that there hath been delivered at six several times corns
to the said horses, the said corn being delivered in a tray but the
quantity this deponent knoweth not and farther saith not. (Nco A 81,82)

He presided at Court - 16 Jul 1641 - (Nco A 85)

16 Jul 1641 - FRANCIS LAND ordered to pay debt of £ 7 sterling unto
CAPT: WILLOUGHBY. (Nco A 87)

16 Jul 1641 - Whereas there is a store to be built for the limits of
Linhaven extending to Daniell Tanners Creeks, according to an act of
assembly and, by the requiry of the inhabitants of the aforesaid limitts,
CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY and MR. JOHN GOOKINS have undertaken to build the
said store, and to find all necessaries thereunto, the said store to be
built 60 feet long and 20 foot wide with 8 foot pitch, upon the point of
CAPT: WILLOUGHBY next adjoininge to MR. MASSON's Creeke. In satisfaction thereof the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY and MR. GOOKINS are to have
1200 l of tob, stripted and smooth, to be levied upon the inhabitants of
the whole county according to the Act of Assembly in that case provided.

He presided at Court - 4 Oct 1641 - ANNE GASKINS, upon being arrested
said "Let CAPT: WILLOUGHBY bringe me from Court to Court & do what he
can he shall never make me ask ANNE FOSTER forgiveness." (Nco A 100)

He presided at Court - 3(?) Jan 1641/2

8 Mar 1641/2 - The first entry of SIR WILLIAM BERKELEY sitting as Gover-
nor in the Quarter Court at James City THO: WILLOUGHBY, ESQ. is among
the Councillors sitting this term. (MCC 498)

He is ABSENT at Courts held: 26 May 1642 (Ap111
16 Jun 1642 (Ap116)

16 Jun 1642 - WM: BERKELEY Knt, Gov. omits CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY's
name as Commander when he appoints the Commissioners for Lower Norfolk
County. JOHN GOOKING ESQ is appointed Commander. (Nco A127)

He is ABSENT at Court held: 5 Jul 1642 (Ap136)

5 Jul 1642 - The deposition of HENRY CATTELIN aged 40 yeares or there-
abouts taken before the comander and Commissioners of the Lower Norfolk
at the Court helden at Linhaven the 5 Jul 1642 sayeth that he the deponent
with ROST: HAYES being appointed by order of Court from the Governor
and Councell to praise and devide the estate of CAPT: ADAM THORWGOD
deceased doth say upon his oath that MR. JOHN GOOKIN and SARA his wife
were very carefull to have the Estate equally devided for the children
and that he -(torn)-( that there?) hath been greate wronge to ye sd
JOHN GOOKING and his wife by deposicon of his delievered to Mantxxx
CAPT: WILLOUGHBSYS accusation against the said MR. GOOKIN and SARA his
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wife for whereas he sweare there was old Iron a great quantity being in a store and left out of the Inventorie and a hundred -(hole)- of sarser? Reape? and some (silver?) Boates. This deponent doth declare upon his oath that he being in the said store with the aforesaid HAYES and MR. COOKIN did see some bundles of Iron the quantity whereof was not much and to this deponents remembrance about three or fower bundles and (hole in paper) - Hawse - (below this there are large holes and the ink has come through from the other side of the page) - (at the bottom of this page there is a large piece torn out)

(Note: Mrs. Cookin claimed two small silver boates which she said were a gift to her from her brothers(in-lawe?) MR. JOHN THOROWGOOD and MR. THO: THOROWGOOD at her marriage. The names of the children are either not given; or have been torn out.)

(No A 136/7)

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Absence since - Mar 1641/2

15 Feb 1642/3 - A case between FRANCIS LAND & CAPT THO: WILLOUGHBY referred to the next Court. (Is he expected home the next month?)

(No A 177)

This last trip has lasted only a year and a month at the most, after his visit home which lasted 2 years.

15 May 1643 - He is present but not sitting, probably because of his cases which were heard: Whereas THOMAS BULLOCK Chyrurgion passed a Bill of Exchange upon himselfe to CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY for payment of a debt of £7/10 sterlind in England ye last yeare and did not pforme according to ye intent and time limited in ye sd bill. The sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY therefore presented ye same and produced sd protest under the hand of a Notarie Publike and other Authentique parties to testifie that he had not yett received nor any parte thereof. The Court hath therefore ordered that ye sd Debt of £7/10 sterlind shalte satisfied and payd to ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY out of ye Estate of ye sd THO: BULLOCK with 18/ allowance for ye protest and 25 per cent for Damages with Court Charges. All former Engagements being first satisfied. Otherwise execucon.

(No A 180)

JAMES SYMONS stands bound with ROBT: SMYTH for ye payment of £ 45 sterlind to CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ. and hath petitioned this Court against ye sd ROBT: SMYTH for a Counter Bond to save him harme lesse from ye sd CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY xxxxxxxx xxxxxxxxxx(carried over)

(No A 181)

CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY paid £14/6 and 3 l tab by order of Court out of the estate of GILBERT GUYE by SARA GUYE the Relict and Administrator.

(No A 183)

5 Jun 1643 - Quarter Court at James City - CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY is present as Burgess for Lower Norfolk County.  

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17 Jul 1643 - He is present but not sitting. CAPT: JOHN SISSEY presiding.

Whereas it appeareth to this Court by ye deposition of THO: WARD and other sufficient testimonies that WILL HAWLEY hath spoken diverse words tending to ye disparagement of CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY. It is therefore ordered that ye sd Hawley shall here acknowledge his fault in Open Court upon his knees and after at ye fish Church at Mr. Sawells Paynt upon Sunday next Come forthnight in ye time of Divine service in these express words - I will Hawley doe before this Congregation acknowledge that I have spoken diverse words tending to ye disparagement of CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and that being askt who Counsellde me to runne away I should answer I had none but what I had from CAPT: WILLOUGHBY which I acknowledge to be false and am heartly sorrie therefore and doe humbly desire CAPT: WILLOUGHBY to forgive me ye sd offense. (Noo A 187)

He presided at Court - 16 Nov 1643
15 Dec 1643

15 Dec 1643 - SAVILL GASKIN ordered to pay debt of 900 l tbat and casks unto CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY. (Noo A 211)

16 Dec 1643 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY qualified as Colonial Military Officer. (JS 34)

He has remained in Virginia from Mar or Apr 1643 until Dec 1643 when he again apparently takes another trip. Home only 3 or 9 months.

He is ABSENT at Court - 15 Feb 1644/5

no Court in Jan & Mar
15 Apr 1645

Court Records from Jan 1643/4 to Jan 1644/5 are missing in Book A.

He presided at Court - 15 May 1645 - ABSENT from Dec 1643 Ap246

This last trip lasted 17 months, perhaps he took his son to England to attend school there for see the following:

From 1644 to 1647 THOMAS WILLOUGHBY attended Merchant Taylors School in London, England. He was born 25 Dec 1632 at Virginia in America, and was the son of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, Merchant, of Red Lyon Alley, St. Botolph, Algate, London. Member of Council, Va in 1639. (Merchant Taylors School Register Ed. E. P Hart pub by School 1936)

He is absent at Court - 16 Jun 1545
He presides at Court - 15 Aug 1545

13 Aug 1545 - Upon Consideration had of many Inconveinencies that may hereafter happen by the marking of cattle by several men of one castayne marke. Upon the humble request of ROBERT HAYES the Court doth thinks fitt and order that the said ROBERT HAYES shall alter the mark of all those cattle which he hath in his custody or possession belonging unto the orphans of JOHN LANGKEILD deceased being nowe marked.
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thus (vizt): on the right Ear cropt which is the proper marke of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQR. And the said HAYES shall forthwith and allways hereafter marke the said cattle aforesmenconed thus vizt: the right ear cropt as aforesaid with a hole in it and the left ear slitt. (Nco A260)

15 Aug 1645 - Concerning the difference in question betweene CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY ESQR, pit against JOHN SUTTON deft for getting a mayd serv- vant of the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY with child and for damage and losse of tym in service thereby sustained. It is the opinion of the Court That a former order made by them in their behalfe is full satisfactory - notwithstanding upon the request of the said CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY. This Court doth present the matters in question to the Governor & Coun-cell and doe order that the said Sutton shall forthwith give bond with security to answere the premises at James Citty upon the first day of October Court next.........

(Nco A 265)

He presided at Court 30 Oct 1645 Ap285
This was a meeting of the Councell of Warre for the Associated Countyes and is on the list of payments due in the pseudocon of the Warre:
To CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY for disbursmts per his acct. 1644 l tcb.

He presided at Court 3 Nov 1645 Ap287
15 Dec 1645 Ap295
There is no Jan Court
16 Feb 1645/6 Ap310
Burgess at Quarter Court 13 Mar 1645/6 at James City Ap331

15 Apr 1646 - Att the howse of WILLIAM SHIPP: present: CAPT JOHN SISSEY and MR. MATHEW PHILLIPPS. A written note is recorded and no other business is done this day:

"In respect that severall persons having accons depending in this court and sone doe not appeare, and sone doe not attend to present the same. The Court is therefore -(torn)- till the 15 May next att such tymne and place aforesaid All persons whatsoever being arrested or summoned are hereby required to appeare and such pro- ceedings to bee then as at present should have beene.

By: CAPT THO: WILLOUGHBY ESQR. (Nco A 332)

This next absence of about 7 months may be explained by the following:
Mar 1645/6 - Commissioners to go to Maryland or Kent to demand certain persons who had removed thither. Comrs: CAPT: THOS: WILLOUGHBY ESQ. CAPT: EDW: HILL (IH321)

He is Absent until 1 Sep 1646, about 5 to 7 months, and it would be interesting to know who he brought back from Maryland.

2 Nov 1646 - Order of Administration to CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY
dated 1 Sep 1646 at Lower Norfolk County Court
dated 4 Oct 1646 at Quarter Court, James Citty by Wm. Berkeley, Gov. Recorded 2 Nov 1646 Lower Norfolk County: RICHARD WAKE, late of this
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Colony, deceased, dying intestate......leaving an estate......in care whereof CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY hath made suite to the Commissioners of Lower Norfolk County for a Commission of Administration bee granted him as Creditor thereunto the summe of £ 198 sterling money...... (Nco A 366) ( & 8 5 )

He is ABSENT at Court 6 Nov 1646 but must be present in Court for CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY is paid 25 l tob per gallon for 10 gallons of sack (wine) out of the County Levy. ( & 7a)

He presided at Court 16 Nov 1646 ( & 8a)

17 Nov 1646 - JOHN HOLMES hath undertaken for the personal appearance of AGNES his wife at the next Court to answer the suite of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY. (Nco B 13)

18 Nov 1646 - All matters of suite in difference betwenee CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ. the administrator of MR. RICHARD WATE (Wake) deceased and CAPT: JOHN SISSEY after much pusall (perusal) of the said accoumpts and long debating thereof by the Court at the request of the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY alleaying the accoumpts of CAPT: SISSEY to bee impfect and insufficient are transmitted to the consideration of the Governor and Councills upon the fifth day of the next Quarter Court /being the 25th day of this Instant November/ the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY forthwith enterling into bond for his appearance as aforesaid and to pay double damages according to Act of Assembly is provided in Cases of Appeals.

He presided at Court 15 Dec 1646 (Nco b 15a)

15 Dec 1646 - whereas AGNES the wyfe of JOHN HOLMES hath spoken certaine thunderous words tending to the great disparragement of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQR. as appears by the deposicion of HENRY SNAYLE and THOMAS SMYTHIARS. It is ordered thereupon that the said AGNES HOLMES shall receive in presence of this Court 5 lashes on her bare back and allsoe weare upon her head with these words written in Cap(ital?) letters, vizt: for slandering CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY sayinge I would putt him by his oath for a (faded out) that I know: and allsoe to weare the said pap(er) on the Lords Day at the Parish Church at xxxxxxxx and on a Lords day at the publique meeting (at) Elizabeth River one howre in each place and the Sheriffe to see the pformance hereof betwene this and the next Court. and the said AGNES HOLMES to pay all the Court Charges or Execusion. (Note: What did Agnes call him, a liar? Pretty drastic punishment if this was the case, AGW) (Nco B 15a)

He presided at Court 20 Jan 1646/7 (Nco B 20a)

20 Jan 1646/7 - An accon sur le case between CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ. complaignaunt against SAMPSON WARING & THOMAS BROOKE defts: At CAPT: WILLOUGHBY's request are transmitted to the consideration of the Gov. and Councill upon 10th day of the next Quarter Court.

Suit betwenee ELLEN LIGHTHART widow plt: and CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ. deft: for a debt of 600 l tob & caske is referred to the next
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Court.

He presided at Court 15 Feb 1646/7 (Nco S20a)

As Feb 1646/7 - CAPT: WILLOUGHBY administrator of RICHARD WAKE dec'd, is
ordered to deliver to MR. WM: JULIAN such writings as doe concern MR.
JULIAN.

He was Absent at Court 22 Mar 1647 (Nco S 27)

He presided Court 31 Apr 1647 (Nco S33a)

31 Apr 1647 - CAPT: THOS: WILLOUGHBY ESQ. ordered to pay 600 l tob unto
ELLEN LIGHTHART, widdowe. (Nco S 35)

31 Apr 1647 - CAPT: WILLOUGHBY, administrator of RICHARD WAKE dec'd ordered to
pay 100 l tob unto SAMPSON WARING for a coffin for the buryall of
the decedent. & SAMPSON WARING ordered to pay a debt of 600 l
tob and Caske unto CAPT: WILLOUGHBY. (Nco S 35)

31 Apr 1647 - Petition of CAPT: THOS: WILLOUGHBY ESQ. the administrator
of MR. RICHARD WAKE dec'd and CAPT: JOHN SIBSEY with the consent of the
widdowe & relict of the decedent xxxliesrs suites between your peticone
concerning articles of co-partnership ....... entered into by CAPT: JOHN
SIBSEY and the decedent ....... petitioners desire Court to order all such
matters of difference in the co-partnerships be put to the auditing of 4
men ........ petitioners are ready to enter into bond of 100,000 l tob each to
other........signed: THO: WILLOUGHBY & JOHN SIBSEY. (Nco S 35)

He was present at Quarter Court 5 Mar 1646/7 (out of place)
in James City. (in the book) (Nco S 37)

He presided at Court 15 Jun 1647 (Nco S39a)

15 Jun 1647 - In the cause between CAPT: WILLOUGHBY administrator of MR.
RICHARD WAKE dec'd and CAPT: JOHN SIBSEY ....... both to deliver true copies,
accoumpts &c which concern the co-partnership (Nco S 340a)

13 Jul 1647 - Present at Court, but not sitting: Matters in co-partner-
ship case between CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQR. administrator of RICHARD
WAKE dec'd complanyant and CAPT: JOHN SIBSEY (concerning accoumpts be-
weene the decedent & CAPT: SIBSEY) to be heard by the Governor & Councal
7 day of Oct Court. (Nco S 40)

He presided at Court 16 Aug 1647 (Nco S 50)

(Note: Capt. Wiloughby has been home ever since Sep 1646, and was
probably still here in Jan 1646/7. In Aug 1648 there is a record: RICH:
CONQUEST saith that about last May was about 12 months (May 1647) .......
CAPT: WILLOUGHBY was very ill last winter about Xmas (1647). This con-
cerns the dispute with CAPT JOHN SIBSEY over his co-partnership with
RICHARD WAKE. His illness explains his absence from Court for a while.)
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14 Oct 1647 - He is ABSENT & not at the Quarter Court 10 Nov 1647. The Lower Norfolk County Court was adjourned because of the late adjournment of the Assembly to 1 Nov., the Commissioners being Burgesses until 15th of Dec. 

(Nco B 53,54)

16 Dec 1647 - He is absent, but is on a list of persons to be paid out of the County Levy: THOS: WILLOUGHBY to be paid 100 l too. 

(Nco B 56a)

15 Dec 1647 - JOHN WATKINS doth acknowledge that he hath granted bargained and sold unto RICHARD CONQUEST his heires &c forever 250 acres of land scynte and being on the S side of the River over against Kecoughtan and abutting NE upon a creeke which parteth it from the land of CAPT: WILLIAM TUCKER extending itselfe SW along the branch of the said River 125 pole at 16 foote and an halfe the pole unto the land of LIEUTENANT JOHN CHEESMAN and continaung SE upon the Mayne Land and NW upon the Maine River: to which said 250 acres of land was granted by pattent bearing date at James City 2 Sep 1624 by SIR FRANCIS WYATT Knt. then Governor of Virginia unto JOHN SISSEY of Kecoughtan, yeoman, his heires &c and afterwards vizt: upon the 16 Jan 1630 for a valuable consideration by the said JOHN SISSEY bargained sold & conveyed unto THOMAS WILLOUGHBY his heires and assigns forever and afterwards vizt: upon the 16 Dec 1635 for a valuable consideration by the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY bargained and sold unto the said JOHN WATKINS his heires & assigns forever and afterwards vizt: upon the 23 Sep 1647 for the sume of 1500 l tab in hand paid........ by the sd JOHN WATKINS sold unto sd. RICHARD CONQUEST. Recorded 15 December 1647. 

(Nco B 54)

He is ABSENT at the Courts of 
20 Jan 1647/8 
15 Feb 1647/8 
(Is he still sick?) 
20 Feb 1647/8

(Nco B 61a, 64a, 67a)

20 Feb 1647/8 - Whereas CAPT: JOHN SISSEY hath commenced suite by way of acco on suit & case against CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESR. the adm. of RICHARD WAKE dec'd upon the desire of the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY........ ordered that the matter be referred to the next Court. 

(Nco B 67a)

He is ABSENT at Court 
28 Feb 1647/8 (Out of place in book) 
15 Apr 1648 

(Nco B 65, 71)

15 Apr 1648 - LEIFT FRANCIS MASON late High Sheriff by virtue of an execution under the hand of the Governor made seizure upon a maide servant of CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY ESR. for satisfaction of 1000 l tab due to CAPT: JOHN SISSEY /by judgmt of the Governor & Court/ from CAPT: WILLOUGHBY and the maide servant detained by CAPT: WILLOUGHBY. Ordered that LEIFT MASON shall bring forth the maide servant or else pay the debt. 

(Nco B 70a)

15 Apr 1648 - In the suite between Captain THO: WILLOUGHBY as adm. of RICHARD WAKE and CAPT JOHN SISSEY who is commencing this suit is told to bring it before the Governor and Councell. 

(Nco B 71)
Recorded 15 Jul 1643 - Dated 1 Apr 1644 - Patent to JOHN WATKINS of 200 acres assigned to him by THOS: WILLOUGHBY ESR., by a patent dated 18 Feb 1636. (This is the land from which the 50 acres were sold in 1682 on which to build the Town of Norfolk) "situate on the Eaward side of Elizabeth River & the Nward side of the mouth of the Eaward Branch of said River & beginning at a marked pine upon a Poynt called Fowre Farthing Poynt & running by the sd Ewd branch side ESE 232 pole unto a marked pyne standing on a poynt ye Aaward side of the mouth of a Creeke named Dum in Mire & running upp by the side of the said Creeke over poynts NNE 148 pole unto a marked gumm standing by a gutt or branch side & soe NNE 232 pole crossing ye (faded-could be the word land?) unto a marked pine & soe SS 148 pole crossing -(faced)- small gutts or poynts & butting towards the Maine River (to?) the first menconed marked tree. The said 200 acres being due unto the sd JOHN WATKINS by assmt? from CAPT THOS: WILLOUGHBY ESR, (per) a patt: bearing date 18 Feb 1636 ------provided JOHN WATKINS doth seats or plant upon the sd. land within 3 years....."

Recorded 15 Jul 1643 - Dated 17 Apr 1646 - ......I JOHN WATKINS....for the sume of 3000 l tob & caske to mee in hand paid......have sold unto RICH: CONQUEST GENT. & THOMAS BRIDGE, Merchant the full 200 acres of land in this patent............ JOHN (+) WATKINS

15 Aug 1648 - Difference between CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and CAPT: JOHN SIBSEY referred to the next Court. The difference between BARTHOLME: HOSKINS agst CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY referred to the next Grand Assembly

16 Aug 1648 - but Recorded 14 Dec 1648 - RICHARD CONQUEST aged about 23 years sworne sayeth that about May last was about 12 months (1637?) MR WAKE /now deceased/ being at the house of CAPT: WILLOUGHBY and being in conference in the presence of this deponent CAPT: WILLOUGHBY desired this deponent to tell CAPT: SIBSEY that if he the sd Sibsey would utterly relinquish the 1000 l tob for which the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY was contented to putt the busyneses concerning the co-partnership of MR. WAKE & CAPT: SIBSEY to the hearing of fowre men, and soe to bee determined by the Court......or the said Capt WILLOUGHBY used words to that same effect and accordingly this deponent did speake to CAPT: SIBSEY & afterwards drew a discharge for ye said 1000 l too. This deponent sayeth that after the Arbitrators had made their report to the County Court of Lower Norfolk CAPT: WILLOUGHBY and CAPT: SIBSEY being in dispute & contending in worth CAPT: WILLOUGHBY in presence of the Comrs: that were then present did proffer to have the busyneses ended by the said Court & the
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sd CAPT: WILLoughby seemed to bee very earnest with CAPT: SIBSEY to have the same determined & the said CAPT: WILLoughby sayd if see bee you will not have the busynesses here determined or heard, referr itt to James towne /or words to that effect/ & see at the same time afterwards they both vitz: CAPT: WILLoughby and CAPT: SIBSEY did consent and agree to referr it to the Governor and Counsell.

This deponent sayeth that CAPT: WILLoughby did goe 2 severall tymes the last winter about Xmas (1647) to meet the Arbitrators at CAPT: SIBSEYS house & at there last meeting CAPT: WILLoughby was very ill and full ofayne /as he a good while had complaing of/ & in the Physicians hands and in the Judgment of the deponent could not meet. And this deponent sayeth that CAPT: WILLoughby /till then/ desired and endeavor-ed /as far as hee could achieve/ to have an end of the busynesses. And further sayeth not.

Witnesses: 16 Aug 1648
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RI: CONQUEST (Nco 8 102)
He is Burgess present at a Quarter Court 1 Sep 1648 (Nco 8 57)
He is ABSENT at Court 5 Oct 1648 (Nco 8 89a)
3 Nov 1648 (Nco 8 89a)

16 Nov 1648 - Whereas CAPT: THO: WILLoughby ESQR. was by order of Gov: & Counsell, dated 16 Oct last past enjoyned to exhibite an accoumt of the whole estate of MR. RICHARD WAKE dec: to this Court being proved by the Sherr: that the sd CAPT: WILLoughby had tymely notice thereof by a copy of ye said order left with him tenn dayes before this Court (5 Nov 1648) uppon peticon of CAPT: JOHN SIBSEY the Comrs: doe certify that the said CAPT: WILLoughby hath not performed aforesaid order from the Gov: & Counsell. (Nco 3 91a)

13 Dec 1648 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLoughby returns the Inventory of MR. RICHARD WAKE dec'd taken the 13 Dec 1648: Total sume 24,982 l tob plus. (Nco 3 97a 101a)

14 Dec 1648 - See above 16 Aug 1648

15 Dec 1648 - These are to certify that MR. THO: LAMBERT, MR. MATH: PHILLIPPS, MR. RICH: CONQUEST and MR. THO: IVY doe well remember that when CAPT: THO: WILLoughby ESQR. petitioned to this Court for a lett: of administracion on the estate of MR. RICH: WAKE deceased CAPT: JOHN SIBSEY was willing to lett CAPT: WILLoughby administer on the sd estate soe that hee might bee the first satisfied, and the sd CAPT: WILLoughby said yea, yea or words to that effect. (Nco 5 103)

He is ABSENT at Court from 15 Dec 1648 to 15 Jun 1649 when he presides at Court. (Nco 5 117)

After staying in Virginia from Sep 1646 until Dec 1648, 21 months, he is again absent for 6 months.
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15 Aug 1549 - MR. RICHARD CONQUEST plt: agst CAPT THOMAS WILLoughby ESQ. deft. MR CONQUEST is non-suited for lack of witnesses or evidence. (Nco 5 120a)

1 Oct 1549 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ. is appointed attorney of SUSAN (RIVERS?) of Ratcliff, Parish of Stepney, co. Middlesex, England, widow of ROBERT (RIVERS?) dated 10 Jul 1647. (Nco 5 123 )

31 Oct 1549 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLoughby as administrator of RICHARD WAKE dec'd is ordered to pay a debt of 1000 l too & caske to THO: BRIDGES adm. of ROGER ffLETCHER.

He is ABSENT at Court 10 Nov 1549 - 1 Nov 1553 (4 years)

During this trip there are the following records:

25 Feb 1549/50 - Judgmt confessed by THO: BUTTERIS for ye payment of 778 l too unto CAPT: THO: WILLoughby. Case between CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & CAPT: FRANTICKIS YARDELY referred to the next Court. (Nco 5 135 )

27 Feb 1549/50 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY did heretofore deliver unto (JERY?) HOSKINS, EMMA WAKE, a fatherless and motherless child........ now to be given to RICH: CONQUEST to maintayne &c. ................. (Nco 5 136a)

16 Mar 1549/50 - Upon the request of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY by his son an attachment is granted against the estate of SAMPSON CALVERT. (Note: Thomas Willoughby II was 17 years 3 months old at this Court)(Nco 5 141a)

16 Mar 1549/50 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY II in Court about a theft of goods by Manuel ye Portugese. (Nco 5 142 )

28 Mar 1549/50 - (a badly mutilated item) xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxTHO: WILLOUGHBY by his (w?)ill & testament xxx apoin(tec?) xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx (T)HO: WILLOUGHBY xxxxxx xxxxxx xxxxxx of his xxxxxx will with the xxxxxx xxxxxxxxx that hee xxxxxx xx xxppess of any ma(tt)er of impor-tance without my aprobacon unt(ll) the returne xxx or ye sonne attain to ye full age of 2(l) xxx xxx xx soe shall act concerning his father's xxxtion xxxxx xxxx & valid untill his power bee countermanded xxxxxx xxxx the(m?) or myselfe. I con(fe)ss he is very xxxxxxxxxxx xxxxxxxxxxx yet being is Chiefly concerned xxxxxxxxxxxxxx Industry will recompcense that disxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx (arize?) xxx the remembrance of xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx I shall xxxxxx very loving ffriend xxxxx

SAM: MATHEWES

To his very loving friends the Comrs: of Lower Norfolk County. (Nco 5 145 )

(Note: Did Capt. Willoughby leave a will with Sam: Mathewes, and also leave him in charge of his son, Thomas? Or - is this record giving the son power to act for his father - see what follows.)
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16 Jun 1550 - ANNE WATKINS, mayd servant to CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ. being delivered of a child & will not confess ye father of it to be given 30 lashes unless she confesses who gott the child.... (Nco 3 147a)

19 Jun 1550 - Peticon of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JR. in ye behalfe of his father that MARGRAT the servant of MR. CONQUEST hath ..........broken doors..... stolen goods..........a gold ring..........the maide is to be tried. (Nco 3 149a)

15 Aug 1550 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JR. is in Court but his cases are referred to the next Court. (Nco 3 152 )

1 Nov 1550 - Several cases of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JR are referred to the next Court. (Nco 3 156 )

15 Dec 1550 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JR is still acting as attorney for his father. (Nco 3 161)

15 Feb 1550/1 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JR. to satisfy a debt as attorney for his father, and at the same Court:

Upon long debate in the business between RICHARD CONQUEST pltf and CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY it was ordered that all suites of lawe between them should cease untill ye returne of ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY out of England if in case ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY return by Feb next (1551/2) then CONQUEST to proceede. (Nco 3 151a)

(Same Court & same page) - Upon peticon of ANNE WATKINS servant of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOBY CONCERNING HER FREEDOME. It is ordered that sd ANNE should be set free, the sattisfyinge & payinge unto THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JR. Attorney of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOBY SENR. ye some of 600 l too neglect of service and shes ye sd ANNE havige unlawfully brought forth a child duringe ye tyme of her sd service. And she ye sd ANNE to put in security for ye performance hereof - otherwise to serve ye sd THOMAS till shee pouse it. And ye sd THOMAS WILLOBY to give unto ye sd ANNE /upon her security givinge/ the Corne & Cloathes which of right belon age unto her according to the Custome of ye Country or by Indenture. (Nco 3 151a)

Recorded 3 Mar 1650/1 Dated 20 Oct 1650 - It is ordered by the Court that the (controversies?) depending between CAPT: THOMAS WILLOBY & CAPT: JOHN SISSEY should be referred unto us the subscribers....according to an order we mett and hereby make our report as followeth: CAPT: JOSEPH JOHNSON peticoned as ye attorney of CAPT: THO: WILLOBY ESQ. for recovery of a debt of £ 190 sterlinge to be due unto him from the estate of RICHARD WAKE dec'd & presented on Estate beinge in ye hands of JOHN SISSEY as co-partner with the sd WAKE. On the motion of MR: xxxxxxx WITSEY ye atty of ye sd CAPT: JOHN SISSEY desiringe CAPT: JOHNSON to xxxxxxxxxxx -(a whole line of this record is missing)- THOMAS WILLOBY had his lres of administration granted unto him. Wee find noe proofe thereof....... CAPT: JOHNSON asked to make the debt appeare, but he answered that he had other papers he would not produce untill CAPT" WILLOUGHBYE his (returne?) xxx this Country. Whereupon we could proceed no further. ED.: ELAND, JOHN HARLOWE, THO: SUSHRODE, GEO: HILL. (Nco 3 169 )
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16 Jun 1651 - It appeareth....by the confession of THO: WILLOUGHBY JR. & JOHN HOLMES that they take one boate & cares out of the possession of JOSE: SEASLEY and that ye sd boates was lost........ ordered that sd HOLMES & WILLOUGHBY pay unto THO: GOODRICH (atty?) of sd SEASLEY 300 l to be a piece in lieu of the sd boats...........  (Nco B 179a)

? Nov 1651 - Certificate to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR for 350 acres of land for the transportation of 7 pers: JANE LATHAM, ANN WHITE, EDWARD MICKSON, JOHN DAVYES, JOHN MOEBY, JOHN POTTER & JOHN PRADE sd WILLOUGHBY in open Court hath assigned over all his rights unto ENSIGNE KEELING.
Both Cert:  (Nco B 179a)

? Nov 1651 - Certificate to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR for 500 acres of land for the transportation of 17 pers: RICHARD BARKER, FRANCIS DONOR, FRANCIS VAUGHAN, ANDROSE ALFORD, WILLIAM CHURCHMAN, THOMAS BATELY, WM: CREATEN, MAUDLIN PARKER, ANNISON (WM), JOANE SMITH, TOBIAS INGAN, MANUELL DOLVEERE, WILLIAM DEANE, ANNE WATKINS, THOMAS SOEBY, HENERY HOWER, JOHN VINTON - sd WILLOUGHBY in open Court hath assigned over unto JOHN MARTIN.  (These two certificates are not in Nugent)

15 Jan 1651/2 - JANE LATHAM complains to the Court of her ill usage by her master MR. THOS: WILLOUGHBY.... ordered that she return to her masters house until the next Court and then MR. WILLOUGHBY & JANE LATHAM to appeare & to bring witnesses.... and MR. WILLOUGHBY to produce ye ropes end wherewith he confessed he struck ye sd LATHAM.  (Nco 3 210)

15 Sep 1652 - Meeting of Comrs: LEIUT: COL: CORNELIUS LOYD to have the command of the family of CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY and all the families from thence to the mouth of the Eastern Branch of Elizabeth River.  (Nco C 21)

21 Dec 1652 - On petition of ANDREW NICHOLLS setting forth the abuse of JOHN DAVYES towards him by stripping and beating the said MICHELLES in a most pittifull manner, and the said MICHELLES being an aged man, and fully provinge the same in open Court upon oath, order that DAVYES at the expiration of the term he has to serve to CAPT: THOS: WILLOUGHBY, serve MICHELLES 6 months or pay him 500 l too.  (Nco C 29)

15 Apr 1653 - Certificate to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JR. for 800 acres of land for trans of 15 pers: MARY BENNETT, ALEXANDER BELL, JOHN BELL, JOHN GORE, JOSEPH TOOGOOD, JAMES WICKARD (whishard?), RICHARD DRAPER, JOHN MURKEALEN, WILLIAM PFEELL, PAUL TRIGGE, JOHN SAVVIDGE, MATHEWE HANCOCKE, GEORGE HILL.  (See Nu 302 - same headrights in both patents. This is probably part of the 1654 patent for 2900 acres)  (Nco C 44)

1 Nov 1653 - In the causes depending between CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and several other persons, the defendants are ordered to pay debts of various amounts.  (Nco C 39a)

16 Dec 1653 - 2 cases are heard for CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY - "upon the complainynt of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY to the Court shewing the great losse and damage he is dayly likely to sustayne, by reason of others

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markeing their cattle of his marke, & it appearing that ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY his marke to have been by him, used about 30 years without alteration. Ordered that all cattle that are of CAPT: WILLOUGHBY's his marke beinge cropt on ye right eare & the left eare whole as & remayne unto the said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY except MAJOR LAMBERT, or any other can justly clayne the same ........... (No. C 55a)

There is also a case of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JR, which may mean that he is still handling his fathers affairs. (He won't be 21 years until the 25 December)

22 Mar 1653/4 recorded but dated 5 Dec 1653 - A long letter dated in Yarmouth the 5 Dec from WILLIAM SCAPEs to CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, MR. LEMUELL MASON and MR. JOHN HOLMES in Virginia, concerning tobacco rec'd for account of HENRY SEAWELL ...........

On the same day: CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, MR. LEMUELL MASON & JOHN HOLMES TO ACCEPT PROPOSITION OF MR. WILLIAM SCAPEs concerning the taking of HENRY SEAWELL an orphan as an apprentice, according to a letter produced.

21 Sep 1654 - Uppon the complaint of MARY BENNETT & by & with ye consent of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY her master. It is ordered that she shall have her freedom to dispose of herselfe within the County untill she shall be brought to bed & one moneth after.

She ye sd BENNETT puttinge ye CAPT: WILLOUGHBY nor his son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY to no charge nor expense & at ye monthes end to return to ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY his service again. (No. C 97 )

21 Sep 1654 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JR. is fined 50 l tob for swearing in open Court. (No. C 96a)

21 Sep 1654 - Certificate to CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY for 300 acres for trans: of ALICE WILLOUGHBY, THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY, EDWARD FLETCHER, EDMOND DOWLAND & THOMAS GEE. (No. C 98 )

This is part of the following patent - same headrights:

7 Oct 1654 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Pat: 2900 acres , Lower Norfolk Co. In Lynnhaven Parish including 1500 acres for which he has a patent dated 19 Mar 1643 (NU34) 1400 acres beginning at the dwelling house & against Hogg Island to head of MR. MASON's Creek, for the trans. of 28 persons: MARY BENNETT, ALEXANDER BELL, JOHN BELL, JOHN GORE, JOSEPH TOOGOOD, PETER BANDON, JAMES WHICHARD, RICHARD DRAPER, JNO: MICHALEN, WILLIAM FELL, PAUL TRIGG, JOHN SARRIGG (Savage?), DAN SNOODY, MAT HANCOCK, GEORGE HILL, Mabell a woman, THO: PUCKERELL, WILLM: GRIFFEN, ALICE WILLOUGHBY, THO: WILLOUGHBY, ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY, EDWARD FITCHER (Fletcher?), EDMUND DOWLAND, THOMAS GEE, WM: GRIFFEN, JNO: MICKEY, WM: STANLY, GEORGE ARMSTRONG. (Compare headrights names with other patents) (NU 302 )

15 Nov 1654 - Whereas MARY BENNETT caused an accon to be entered against THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR. the ye said WILLOUGHBY sendinge his letter to this Court wherein he craved a referring to ye next Court ye Comt: of this Court viewinge his letter & takinge ye matter into consideracon

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Thomas Willoughby I

doth grate him a reference. And with order that ye said THOMAS WILLOUGHBY shall make his personall appearance at ye next Court to be held for this County Whereby to answer ye said accon. And it is further ordered that she ye sd MARY BENNETT shall have libertie to dispose of herselfe within this County where she thinks fittinge untill ye next Court. And the Court to save harmslesse those that shall entertaine her the sd MARY BENNETT. 

(Nfo C 105)

15 Dec 1654 - Know all men by these presents that I, RICHARD STARNELL of the Western Branch of Elizabeth River in the County of Lower Norffolke, Cooper, doe bind over my whole estate unto CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the aforesaid County upon breach of the Condicon following. Witness my hand this 15 Dec 1654. 

Signed: RICHARD STARNELL 

The condicon of this obligation is such that if the bond bound on RICHARD STARNELL shall save defend and forever keep harmless THOMAS WILLOUGHBY sone to the said CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY aforesaid of and from all damage, trouble or molestacon whatsoever that shall or may arise from MARY BENNETT servant to ye said CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY or be any Charge for or towards the bringinge upp of the Child shes now hath. That then this present writing be voydes and of none effect or else to remaine in full force, power & vertue Dated under my hand this 15 Dec 1654. 

wit: THOMAS JFULCHER Signed: RICHARD STARNELL  (Nfo C 110)

15 Dec 1654 - CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY in open Court engaged himselfe to deliver unto MARY BENNETT to and for ye use of the Child which shee now hath, one heiffier of two years old upon Demand. 

(Nfo C 110)

15 Dec 1654 - We doe present THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: for comitting of fornication with MARY BENNETT singlewoman, his father's servant. 

(Nfo C 113a)

15 Dec 1654 - It is ordered by Joynt Consent in open Court between CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & MARY BENNETT servant to ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY that ye said MARY BENNETT shall be free and at her owne discosal presently the paying to ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY in March next one hh (nogshead) of tob. to containe 300 pound & caske & upon non paymt thereof that then the sd MARY BENNETT is to returne to her Masters service againe and alsoe ye sd MARY BENNETT is to pay to ye said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY or his assignes one hh of too more uppon ye 10 Jan 1655 to containe 300 lb & caske or she to returne to ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY his service againe & to serve out her full time according to her indenture from ye date of these presents. 

(Nfo C 117a)

Recorded 24 Maye 1655 - 

Honored Sir:

You are humbly intreated, and both by the Countie & the Co't fully impowered to guide a Minister of Gods word for us, whereby our necessitie to you very well knowne maye be supplied, for which if you pleasure to undertake for us, wee shall with a genall Consent very thanckfull to you, And doe hereby ingage for ourselves, and on the behalfe of the whole Countie to allow to the said Minister yearely 10,000 l too which was conce- 

ceive wilbe A Competent allowance for A very able, godly & honest man. 

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Thomas Willoughby I

Whose abilities we shall not in the least distrust your approbation, see wishing your happy & prosperous Voyage we take leave, Comitt you to God & Remayne

(No. C 158)

From Linhaven Court this 24th of Maye 1655
Supscribed
To CAPTAYNE THO: WILLOUGHBYE
ESQR: theis

(Capt. Willoughby never returns from this last trip)

In the 18 years from the beginning of the Lower Norfolk County Records to May of 1655 we can be fairly sure of the length of Capt. Willoughby's trips to England and probably Barbados, for he left an estate in Barbados.

In those 18 years he was "out of the Colony" for about 12 years, 6 months was spent in Maryland in 1646. His longest visit home to Virginia was less than two years in 1647 - 1648.

17 Nov 1655 - At ye request of THO: WILLOUGHBY JR. A reference is granted by RICHARD CONQUEST in ye difference depending between RICHARD CONQUEST plt. & ye sd WILLOUGHBY deft until Feb Court next (supposing then his father will bee in ye Country) then to be heard and determined. (No. D 25a)

April 1657 - a Barbados record - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY ESQ dec'd - Administration to THO: MIDLETON, ESQ, nephew of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY late of Virginia, but in ALHALOUES BARKING, (London, England) to the use of THOMAS & ELIZA-SETH WILLOUGHBY ye children now beyond the sea. (Caribbeanna 3 p 205)

16 Aug 1658 - Commission of administration is granted unto THOS: WILLOUGHBY JR upon his fathers estate, CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY who deceased in England. (No. D p 162)

Dated 13 Feb 1659 Recorded 18 Jan 1660 - I THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of ye Barbados, Marriner, Agent & Factor in Principal unto THOMAS MOYFORD & COMPANY have made &c........appointed THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, CENT. of Virginia to be my true & lawful attorney. THOS: WILLOUGHBY & Seal (No. D 285)
ALICE WILLOUGHBY - In a patent to CAPTAIN THOMAS WILLOUGHBY 21 Sep 1654 (Nce C 98), 7 Oct 1654 (NU 302), the headrights listed included: ALICE, THOMAS and ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY.

His family had obviously been in England with him on one of his many trips out of the Colony of Virginia. The son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY II was in Virginia between the dates of October 1649 to 21 Sep 1654 during one period when his father was "out of the Colony".

This same patent states: "2900 acres in Lynnhaven Parish including 1500 acres for which he has a patent, 19 Mar 1643/4. The records for the Courts between December 1643 and February 1644/5 are missing from the Norfolk County Record Books, however, there is no indication of Capt. Willoughby's presence in the Colony during that period, and he is absent at the April Court. He is present and presiding at the 15 May 1645 Court. Did the whole family accompany young Thomas when he entered Merchant Taylors School in London, England in 1644?

In searching the records for an Alice who could possibly be the wife of Capt. Thomas Willoughby the following has been found:

ALICE LAWSON, THO: ROLFE (son of Pocahontas), WILLIAM THOMPSON (brother-in-law of Capt. Wm. Tucker), PEETER WILLOUGHBY (a relation of the Capt.?!) and others were headrights in the patent to CAPT. Wm: PIERCE 22 Jun 1635 in Lawnes Creek, Surry County. (NU 29)

You will find that Alice Lawson is the wife of CHRISTOPHER LAWSON in 1624 in James City County.

JOHN LAYDON (LEYDEN) = soon after the Fall of 1608: ANN BURRAS
b ca 1580 (NU xxviii & Cooke 48) (Mrs. Forrests mayd)

 Came in the Susan Constant Apr 1607 - She came in the 2nd Supply in the Mary Margaret in 1608.

They were among the living in Virginia 16 Feb 1623 at Basse's Choice (now Isle of Wight County), and had the following issue:

VIRGINIA LAYDON b. between 1608 - 1623

ALICE LAYDON DID SHE MARRY = between 1623/4-1631 = CAPT. THOS: WILLOUGHBY?
b between 1608 - 1623/4
b possibly 1610-12
d 1657

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY II was born 1632.

KATHRYN LAYDON b. between 1608 & 1623
MARGARET LAYDON b. " 1608 & 1623

Among the living 16 Feb 1623 at Basses's Choice were CAPT. WILLIAM TUCKER and THOMAS WILLOUGHBY.

In 1628 CAPT. WILLIAM TUCKER & CAPT THOMAS WILLOUGHBY had patents of land "within the mouth of Pamumkey River (now York River)," and Willoughby's patent became known as Willoughby's Point about 1632. (4 VCS57,559 NU 21)
Alica Willoughby

In 1623 he was living near Blunt Point, and between 1635 and 1636 there are several patents to JOHN LAYDON situated between Blunt Point and Warwick River on the north side of James River and directly below Willoughby Point. Some of his neighbors were: CAPT. THOMAS PURIFIC, JOHN POWELL, JOHN STRATTON, JONATHAN WAKE (Thomas Willoughby was administrator of Dr. Richard Wake's estate in 1646), WIDOW THOMPSON (Wm. Thompson was the bro-in-law of Capt. Wm. Tucker), THOMAS SEWELL (was he a relative of Henry of Norfolk County?), GEORGE HULL (or Hall) et al. These surnames will be familiar to anyone who has ever searched the Norfolk County records.

Was Alice Layton the wife of Captain Thomas Willoughby? His wife was not in his muster in 1623/4 indicating that the marriage would have been after that time. She was probably not 16 years old until about 1629, when Capt. Thomas would have been 27. He returned from a trip to England in 1627 which may mean that he was married after that date. He then stayed in Virginia until 1632 at which time he again disappears until 1635.
II Generation - ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY dau of Capt. Thomas Willoughby I

ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY
b ca 1630 - 1634 (she married before her brother, Thomas, and may have been the first born)

The name of Elizabeth makes one wonder if Capt. Thomas Willoughby I of Virginia was a son of the Capt. Thomas Willoughby of Barbados who was buried in the Parish of St. Martins, Barbados in Mar 1643/9 leaving a relict, Elizabeth, and a son Edward who administered on his estate in Sep 1649. Thomas Willoughby of Barbados, according to his administration, was of Southwark, London, England.

If he was a brother of Sir Percival Willoughby, a member of the Virginia Company of London who came to Virginia, then the line would tie in with what has been assumed in former publications: "that Capt. Thomas Willoughby of Virginia was a nephew of Sir Percival Willoughby".

One can also speculate on the fact that Capt. Thomas Willoughby of Virginia was out of the Colony from Dec 1648 until Jun 1649. Did he go to Barbados because of the illness of his father? Capt. Thomas of Va. left an estate in Barbados when he died in 1657 which was administered by his nephew, THOMAS MIDLETON, ESQUIRE.

ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY was living in Lower Norfolk County in 1672 d.

In 1636 an ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY was transported to Accomac County, Va. by John Bell. (John Bell was later, 1653, transported to Lower Norfolk County by Thomas Willoughby II) Could this Elizabeth be the grandmother coming from Barbados to see her granddaughter and namesake?

(Ncc C 44 & 15 Vab55)

In 1554 an ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY is transported to Lower Norfolk County by CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, as also, ALICE WILLOUGHBY (the mother?) and THOMAS WILLOUGHBY. (Ncc C 98 & Nu 302)

SARAH THOROWGOOD, daughter of CAPT. ADAM THOROWGOOD & his wife SARAH (OFFLEY), married SIMON OVERZEE and died in childbed and was buried 9 Oct 1658. Overzees interest in the estate of MRS. (OFFLEY-THOROWGOOD-COOKIN) YARDLEY was recognized by the Court 17 Jan 1658/9.

(Ncc D 186)

ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY = (1) ca 1659 as his 2nd wife = SIMON OVERZEE of Maryland, New England and Lower Norfolk County, Virginia, Merchant.

15 Aug 1660 - Administration granted to ELIZABETH OVERZEE on her husband's estate, MR. SIMON OVERZEE, at the request of MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY. (Ncc D 251)

She married = (2) bef 1 Mar 1660/1 = MAJOR GEORGE COLCOUGH of Northumberland Co., Virginia. He was the son of her brother's mother-in-laws' 3rd husband.

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II Generation - Elizabeth Willoughby

15 Mar 1660/1 - MR. WILLOUGHBY (THOMAS II) attorney of MR. COLCOUCH who
married ye relict and administrator of SYMON OVERZEE. (Nco D 292)

8 Sept 1662 - MRS. ELIZABETH COLCOUCH, widow of MAJOR GEORGE COLCOUCH
to administer his estate in Northumberland County, Va. (19 Vab 25)

30 --- 1664 - ELIZABETH COLCOUCH, widow of MAJOR GEORGE COLCOUCH had
married = (3) betw 1662 - 1664 = ISAAC ALLERTON (19 Vab 25)
Northumberland County, Va.

17 Aug 1663 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY (II) attorney of GEORGE COLCOUCH obtay-
ned an Order in Jun Court 1662 against THOMAS HARVEY for 3284 £ tab.
Upon Willoughby's petition the sd order waived in behalf of ISAACKE
ALDERTON who married ye relict & administrator of ye sd Colcough.
(Nco D 375)

20 Feb 1663 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY (II) & SARAH, his wife, gave power of
attorney to "our loving brother ISAAC ALDERTON". (19 Vab 2)

Isaac Allerton was the son of Elizabeth's brother, Thomas', mother-in-law's 4th husband. He was of Westmoreland County, Virginia.

ELIZABETH(WILLOUGHBY, OVERZEE, COLCOUGH) & ISAAC ALLERTON had issue:

WILLOUGHBY ALLERTON b after 1664
MARY ALLERTON b after 1664
SARAH ALLERTON b after 1664

The following items may be of interest because of the multiple marriages of
URSULA SISHE, mother-in-law of Elizabeth's brother THOMAS WILLOUGHBY:

20 Sep 1652 - GEORGE COLCOUGH - certificate for 100 acres of land in
Northumberland County, Virginia (2 Vab 7)

20 Aug 1655 - a deposition by RICHARD WRIGHT, 22 years, (which is muti-
lated) "they were drinking half a day just before the will was made"
(This is either George Colcough's will or one he was writing for Mottrom,
the second husband of Ursula Sishe Thompson) (2 Vab 129)

25 Mar 1649 - MRS. URSULA THOMPSON of Kiquohton widdo of RICH THOMPSON
gent, gives cattle to her children. To son RICHARD (under 21). To daus
SARAH & ELIZABETH THOMPSON. (20 Vab 33)

29 Sep 1657 - GEORGE COLCOUGH, Northumberland Co., Va., and his wife,
URSULA guardians of RICHARD & SARAH THOMPSON. George Colcough who
married, before 1657, the relict of COL. JNO: MOTTROM, who was the relict
of MR. RICHARD THOMPSON dec'd appointed guardian to the children
of sd Thompson and administrator of his estate 20 Nov 1655. RICHARD
WRIGHT administrator of Col. Mottrom objects. Wright had married ANNE
MOTTROM, dau of Col. Jno: Mottrom. (19 Vab 25)
II Generation - Elizabeth Willoughby

ISAAC ALLERTON II - son of ISAAC ALLERTON I a passenger on the Mayflower in 1620 & his wife FEAR, dau of WILLIAM BREWSTER, also Mayflower passenger,

See will of ISAAC ALLERTON I d 19 Oct 1659 - New Haven probate R #1 pp 62, 83. Also Gov. Bradford's "List of Mayflower Passengers.

ISAAC ALLERTON II, reared by his grandfather graduated from Harvard College 1650 married (1) before coming to Virginia = Elizabeth............. & had issue.

COLONEL THOMAS WILLOUGHBY II = by 1660 = SARAH THOMPSON (Nvo 532)
b Xmas Day 1632 in Virginia  
d will probated 1572 - not now of record wd Sep 1673 wp 1673/4 Feb
Inventory 15 Aug 1672 (Nco Ef124a-125a) (Nco Ef163)

He attended Merchant Taylor's School in London, England 1644 - 1647 &
is listed as son of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, Merchant, of Red Lyon
Alley, St. Botolph, Algate, London, England. (Merchants Taylor's
School Register)

His wife was the daughter of RICHARD THOMPSON of Northumberland Co.,
Va. and URSULA (BISSHE) THOMPSON, who is listed as a "widow of Kic-
oughtan, Va." in 1649. (20 Vab23)

16 Mar 1649/50 - Upon the request of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY by his
sonne an attachment is granted against the estate of SAMSPON CALVERT.
(He is only 17 years, 2 months + of age at this time) (Nco Ef 141a)

16 Mar 1649/50 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: is in Court about a theft of
goods by Manuel ye Portugese. (Nco Ef 142 )

25 Mar 1649/50 - (a badly mutilated record) xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx THO:
WILLOUGHBY by his (w?)ill & testament xxxxxx apoin(ted?) xxxxxxxxxxxxx
xxxxx(his son?) THO: WILLOUGHBY xxxxxx (executor?) xxxxxxxxxxxx of his
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ffriend xxxxx

Signed: SAM: MATHWEES
To his very loving friends the Comrs: of Lower Norfolk County.
(Nco 3 145 )

(Note: In reading the above record it should be noted that Capt.
Thomas Willoughby was "out of the Colony" from Nov 1549 until Nov 1653.
He has apparently left a will with Samuel Mathews appointing his son,
Thomas Willoughby Jr. his executor at the age of 21 years. He has
also given his son power to act for him unless his power be counterman-
ded by the Commissioners or himself, for the records will show that
he is acting as attorney for his father during his absence, even though
only 17 years +. I cannot help but believe that this is putting a
limitation on just how far young Thomas can go in acting as attorney.)

18 Jun 1650 - ANNE WATKINS, mayd servant to CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY,
Esq. being delivered of a child & will not confess ye father of it is
to be given 30 lashes on her bare back unless she confesses who gott
the child. (Nco 3 147a)
Thomas Willoughby II

19 Jun 1650 - Peticon of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: in ye behalf of his father, that MARGARET the servant of MR. CONQUEST hath xxxxxxxxxx stolen goods xxxxx a gold ring xxxxxxx, the maid is to be tried.  

(Noc 3 149a)

15 Aug 1650 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: is in Court and his cases are referred to the next Court.  

(Noc 3 151a)

1 Nov 1650 - Several THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR. cases are referred to the next Court. (he is not yet 15 years old)  

(Noc 3 152)

16 (Dec?) 1650 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: is still acting as attorney for his father.  

(Noc 3 161)

15 Feb 1650/1 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: to satisfy a debt of his father's as his attorney.  

- Upon long debate it was decided that all suits between RICHARD CONQUEST & CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY should cease until ye returne of said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY out of England if in case ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY returne by Feb next (1651/2) then CONQUEST to proceed.  

(Noc 3 161)

15 Feb 1650/51 - In a suit between CAPT: FRANCIS YARDELEY & CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR.: as attorney of his father, is to pay the debt.  

- Upon the peticon of ANNE JATKINS servant of CAPT: THO: WILLOUGHBY concerning her freedom. It is ordered that sd ANNE should be set free, the sattisfyinge & payinge unto THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: Attorney of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY SENR: ye some of 500 lb too (neglect?) of service, and shee, ye sd ANNE havinge unlawfully brought forth a child durringe ye tyne of her said service. And shee ye sd ANNE to out in security for ye performance hereof - otherwise to serve ye sd. THOMAS till shee pouncre it. And ye sd THOMAS WILLOUGHBYE to give unto ye sd ANNE (upon her security given) the Corne & Cloathes which of right belonge unto her according to the Custome of ye country as by Indenture.  

(Noc 3 161a)

3 Mar 1650/1 - all controversie between CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & CAPT: JOHN SISEY awaiting CAPT: WILLOUGHBY's return into this Colony.  

(Noc 3 169)

16 Jun 1651 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: as attorney for his father, case referred to the next Court.  

- ....by the confession of THO: WILLOUGHBY JUNR: & JOHN HOLMES, that they tooke one boate -(faded)- 1 cases out of the possession of JOS: SEASELEY and that ye sd boate was -(faded)- lost. It is therefore ordered by the Court that they pay unto THOMAS SODERICH or his assignes, beinge attorney of the ye SEASELEY, 300 lb tot a place with caske...........a Court charges.  

(Noc 3 179a)
Thomas Willoughby II

Nov 1651 - (this patent is not in Nugent) - Certificate for 300 acres for transportation of 7 persons: JANE LATHAM, ANN WHITE, EDWARD NICKSON, JOHN DAVYES, JOHN NEEBY (or Needy), JOHN POTTER (Porter?), & JOHN READE & ye sd WILLOUGHBY hath in open Court assigned over his rights to ENSIGNE KEELING. (Nco 5 190)

Nov 1651 - Certificate to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: for 650 acres for transportation of 17 persons: RICHARD BARKER, FFRANCES VAUGHAN, WM: CHURCHMAN, WM: CREATEN, WM: ANISON, FFRANCIS DEES (Dees ? Nash?), AMBROSE ALFORD, THOMAS SATELY, MAUDLIN PARKER, JOANE SMITH, TOBIAS INMAN, MANUELL DELVEERE, WM: DEANE, ANNE WATKINS, THOMAS SEELEY (Cheeley?), HENRY HUBER, JOHN VINTON. All of which rights THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: hath in open Court assigned over unto JOHN MARTIN. (Note: Anne Watkins was a servant asking for her freedom from Capt. Thomas Willoughby Feb 1650/1 and had been delivered of a child in Jun 1650)(also note: that the name Dees is a form of the name Nash - and there was a Francis Nash who left a will in Norfolk County in 1686-1687/8) (Nco 5 190)

15 Jan 1651/2 - JANE LATHAM complains to the Court of her ill usage by her master, MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY (JUNR:)........ordered that she return to her masters house until the next Court and than MR. WILLOUGHBY & JANE LATHAM to appear & bring witnesses.......& MR. WILLOUGHBY to produce ye ropes and wherewith he confessed he struck ye sd LATHAM. (Thomas is now 19 years old) (Nco 5 210)

15 Sep 1652 - at a meeting of the Commissioners: LIEUT: COL: CORNELIUS LOYD to have the command of the family of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and all the families from thence to the mouth of the Eastern Branch of Elizabeth River. (Nco C p 21)

15 Apr 1653 - (these 15 headrights are included in CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY's 1654 patent - Nu 302) Certificate to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: for 600 acres for the transportation of 16 persons: MARY BENNETT, ALEXANDER SELL, JOHN SEL, JOHN GORE, JOSEPH TOOGOOD, JAMES WICKARD (?hisard?), RICHARD DRAPER, JOHN MURKEALLEN, WM: JELL, PETER BANDEN, PAUL TRIDGE, GRACE TRIDGE, JOHN SAVVIDGE, DANIEL SNODDY, NATHAN HANCOCKE, GEORGE HILL. (Capt. Tho. Willoughby has been in England almost 4 years) (Nco C 44)

(Note: Capt. Willoughby, the father, returns to Court 1 Nov 1653)

21 Sep 1654 - Certificate to CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY for 300 acres for transportation of: ALICE (the wife?) WILLOUGHBY, THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY, EDWARD FLETCHER, EDMOND DOILAND, THOMAS GEE. (Note: these 5 persons are headrights in the 1654 patent Nu 302) (Nco C 93)

21 Sep 1654 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR., Jant. (he is now almost 22 years old) if fined 50 1b tob for swearing in open Court. (Nco C 93a)
Thomas Willoughby II

21 Sep 1554 - Upon ye complaint of MARY BENNETT (headright in 1554Pat. & in 1653 Certificate) & by & with ye consent of CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, her Master. It is ordered that she shall have her freedom to dispose of herself within this County untill she shall be brought to bed & one moneth after. (Nro C 97)

15 Nov 1554 - Whereas MARY BENNETT caused an acco to be entered agst. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR, the sd WILLOUGHBY sendinge his letter to this Court wherein he craved a referring to ye next Court ye Commissioners of this Court viewinge his letter & takinge ye matter into consideracon doth grant him a reference. And with order that ye said THOMAS WILLOUGHBY shall make his personal appearance at ye next Court to be held for this County whereby to answer sd acco. And it is further ordered that she, ye sd MARY BENNETT, shall have libertie to dispose of herselfe within this County where she think fittinge untill ye next Court. And the Court to save harmsesse those that shall entartayne her the sd MARY BENNETT. (Nro C 105)

15 Dec 1554 - Know all men by these presents that I, RICHARD STARNELL of the Westerne branch of Elizabeth River in the County of Lower Norfolk, Cooper, doe binde over all my whole Estate unto CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the aforesaid County upon breach of the Condition following. Witness my hand the 15 Dec 1554.

RICHARD STARNELL

The condition of this obligation is such that if the bond bound on RICHARD STARNELL shall save Defend and forever keep harmless THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, some to the said CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY aforesaid out of all damage trouble or molestacon whatsoever that shall or may arise from MARY BENNETT servant to ye said CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY or ty any Charge for or towards the bringinge upp of the Child shee now hath. That then this present writing be voyde and of no effect or else to remaine in full force power & vertue. Dated under my hand this 15 Dec 1554.

Witness: THOMAS PFULCHER

RICHARD STARNELL

CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY in open Court engaged himselfe to deliver unto MARY BENNETT to and for ye use of the Child which shee now hath, one heiffer of two yeares ould upp unpon Demand. (Nro C 110)

15 Dec 1554 - We doe present THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: for committing of fornication with MARY BENNETT singlewoman, his father's servant. (Nro C 113a)

15 Dec 1554 - It is ordered by Joynt Consent in open Court between CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & MARY BENNETT servant to ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY that ye said MARY BENNETT shall be free and at her owne disposal presently the payinge to ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY in March next one hh of too, to containe 300 pound & casks & unpon non paynt thereof that then the ye sd MARY BENNETT is to returne to her Master's service againe And alse the ye sd MARY BENNETT is to pay to ye said CAPT: WILLOUGHBY or his ass: one 10 Jan 1555 to containe 300 pounds & casks or she to returne to ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY his service againe & to serve out her full time according to her indenture from ye date of these presents. (Nro C 117a)
Thomas Willoughby II

17 Dec 1655 - The persons fined & the fines to be collected by or before the next Court:

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(f) = for fornication (I) = for incontinency (sell) = selling sacks, brandy etc for too high a price.

(Note: this fine is imposed exactly one year later)

(Note: In May 1655 Capt. Willoughby had again left the Colony of Va. for England, so he was away when the above fine was imposed against his son.)

17 Nov 1656 - At ye request of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR., a reference is granted by RICHARD CONQUEST in ye difference depending between Capt. HYNES, & ye ad WILLOUGHBY deft. untill Feb Court next (1657/8) supposing then his father will bee in ye Country, then to be heard and determined.

Capt. Thomas Willoughby does not return from this trip for the administration of his estate in Barbados is granted to his nephew, THO: MIDDLETON, ESQ. in Apr 1657...to the use of THOMAS & ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY ye children, now beyond the sea.

16 Aug 1656 - To THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: a certificate for 200 acres of land proved due

16 Aug 1656 - Commission of administration is granted unto him upon his father's estate, CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, who deceased in England.

17 Oct 1659 - At MAJOR MASON's request in behalfe of M. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, he being sick, a reference is granted unto him agst ED.: WILDER until the next Court.

Dated 13 Feb 1659/60 Recorded 18 Jan 1660/1
I, THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of ye Barbados, Marriner, Agent & Factor in Principal unto THOMAS WODDYFORD & COMPANY have made &c....appointed THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Virginia Gent. to be my tru and lawful attorney.........

(Presented in Court 15 Jan 1660/1)

25 Feb 1659/60 - At MAJOR MASON's request in ye behalfe of MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, hee being in Maryland upon very urgent business. (Could the business have been the death of Simon Overzees, his sisters husband who died at just about this time?)
Thomas Willoughby II

25 Apr 1660 - MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY fined 50 lb tob for swearing in open Court. (Nco D 250)

15 Jun 1660 - MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, MR. ADAM THOROWOOD & MR. JAS. ROSELLEY failing to appear to be sworn Commissioners are to appear at the next Court to be admitted and answer their contempt. (Nco D 257)

15 Aug 1660 - Administration granted to ELIZABETH OVERZE on her husband's estate, MR. SIMON OVERZE at the request of MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY. (Nco D 261)

15 Mar 1660/61 - MR. WILLOUGHBY attorney of MR. COLCOUGH who married ye relict & administrator of SYMON OVERZE. (Nco D 292)

10 Jun 1661 MR. THOS: WILLOUGHBY Commissioner at Court (3N105)
16 Jun 1661 " " " (3N140)
15 Oct 1661 " " " (2N168)

Deed dated 29 Mar 1661 - Westmoreland County, Va. conveying 1000 acres in said county which were granted to SARAH, dau & orphan of RICHARD THOMPSON 19 Nov 1652, and now due said WILLOUGHBY as her husband. (see Nugent 532) (1V443)

8 Sep 1662 - Northumberland Co., Va. - RICHARD THOMPSON selected THOMAS WILLOUGHBY as his guardian. (Richard is brother of Thos. J.'s wife) (2.161) (20 Vab109)

20 Feb 1663/4 - Patent to RICHAR THOMPSON for 48 acres in Northumberland Co., Va. 15 Dec 1661 - sold by THO: WILLOUGHBY & SARAH, his wife and ELIZABETH THOMPSON to WM: THOMAS 20 Feb 1663/4. (15.124) (20 Vab 53)

20 Dec 1662 - MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY - Commissioner at Court (3:141)

20 Dec 1662 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY attorney of THOMAS BENNETT (could this be MARY BENNETT's brother or father?) (Nco D 363)

20 Feb 1663 -4 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & SARAH his wife gave power of atty. to "our loving brother ISAAC ALLETON (Elizabeth Willoughby's husband) Northumberland Co., Va. (19 Vab 2)

15 Jun 1663 - MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY - Justice at Court (4:133)

17 Aug 1663 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY attorney of GEO: COLCOUGH obtained an order in Jun Court 1662 agst THOMAS HARVEY for 3294 lb tob. Upon WILLOUGHBY's petition the sd order waived in behalf of ISAACKE ALLETON who married ye relict & Administrator of ye sd COLCOUGH. (Nco D 375)

17 Nov 1663 - MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY - Justice at an Orphans Court (4:179)

15 Feb 1663/4 - MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY - Justice at Court (4:110)
Thomas Willoughby II

18 Aug 1663 - Certificate to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY for 3200 acres of land for transportation of 64 persons:

Thomas Willoughby II

Sarah Willoughby

Rose Darby

John Boulton

John Scott

Thomas Jones

Robert Mawell?

Arthur Macken

Eliz. Tjist

Wm. Palmer

Tho. Draper

Wm. Kelldridge

Tho. Hornes (Hornes?)

Giles Collins

Edward Rogers

Peter Willet (Millet?)

Lidiah Allen

Zopher White

Thomas Sampson

John Heues

John David

John Cubidge

(Sarah Willoughby)

Edward Stonton

Richard Knight

Phillip Williams

Mary Wornewell

Owen Morgan

Wm. Ponikes?

John Baynum

Edward Rogers

Richard Jackson

Joseph Olliver

Walter Hayward

John Wood

John Powell

John Shawe

Emmanuel Dolleneror

Rose: Davison

Antonio Allongs

Theodore Ffloyd

Nicholas Ffojene?

Howell Hammond

Mary Mount

Walter Hammond

Mary Michell

John Howden

John Morley

John Watkings

George Parmeter

Thomas Pecke

Katherine Souleman

John Souleman Senr.

John Souleman Junr.

John Porter

Thomas Welch

Three Negroes

PETER, JACK & MARVIN

THOMAS BERRY

(This patent is not in Nugents)

Dated 22 Apr 1663 - Endorsed 7 Sep 1663 - an Indenture made 22 Apr 1663 between THOMAS WILLOUGHBYE, LEMUELL MASON & RICHARD FOSTER in Lower Norfolk County...we the said partyes have Covenanted, concluded and agree with the other mutually that wee will settle a plantation to the Southward upon a certaine tract of land which goes by the name of WHITE'S ISLAND and another piece of land right over the Westerne and of the aforesaid White's Island (intended?) which marsh called WALNUT NECK wherein each of us have an equall share and proportionable Right and -(can't read one word)- proportionable charge both for building and stock both in Cattle & hoggs for profitt and costs till such time as it bee further concluded betweene us.............

wit: THO: WILLOUGHBY

RICHARD THOMPSON

LEN: MASON

WARNER ETH...........

RICHD: FOSTER

Endorsed as follows:

7 Sep 1663 - COLL RICHARD FOSTER before us acknowledged the within writing to bee his voluntary act and deed, butt as to the hoggs therein menconed there is none in the Island butt what belongs paticularly to COLL. FOSTER and what Cattle belong to COLL. MASON & MAJOR WILLOUGHBYE'S HYERS are marked with a piece cut in the upper part of the left Ear. The produce of which Cattle xxxxxxxxxxxxx to be see marked for thair use COLL. LEMUELL MASON xxxxxx acknowledged the within writing as his act & deed xxxxxx

wit our hands: ANTHONY LAJSON, THO: JODY?, (rest of names too faint to read)

(Yeo 403 153)
Thomas Willoughby II

15 Feb 1665/6 - THO: WILLOUGHBY - Justice in Court (Ncc D 436a)

15 Jul 1671 - " " " " (S:W73)

23 Nov 1671 - MAJOR THOMAS WILLOUGHBY being arrested to this Court at the suite of MR. THO: MATHEN attorney of EDWARD LEBRITON and not appearing nor security returned. Judgmt is granted against the Sheriff of Lower Norfolk County for what shall be made appears due unless WILLOHG SY appear at ye next Court according to Act. (NCCG 185)

15 May 1672 - LT: COL: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY a parcel of books - 1500 l tob. (a list of Norfolk County Libraries) (L: 122)

15 Aug 1672 - Inventory of LIEUT: COL: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY dec'd. (see his inventory on the following page) (Ncc E 124a-125a)

26 Feb 1673/4 - MRS. SARAH WILLOUGHBY a large Bible in fo, the turkish history, the life of Lewes, the 13th Heylands Cosmography, the Eclesiastical History of Eusebias pamphelius, Cornells stratstius democrates Jude Sonds his travells, Riders dictionary, two bibles in quarto, directions for planting mulbery trees, the soules prograste to the Celestial Canaan, preservations agt Sin, the Epistles of St. Anthony guiders, the Essays of the lord Mountague, the Seanns Callender, doctor Sibs Sermons, an Exposition on the 10 Comandements wisdome in three books p pr Carron, Thesaurus poeticus two books, an Exposition of the lorcs prayer, a treatise of the divine E stance & attributes the Birth of Mankind or the womans book, a gramr, a treatise for Englishmen, a Latten Bible, 2 testaments, ovid detristitus, propositions of warre & peace, a Sweat posie for gods Saints, Esops fables, Cases of Conscience, Seanns practise, trigonomety or the doctrine of triangles, a book of Latten Verses, armetias in octavio, the safe way, two books of Ovids metamorphosis, 3 Small latten books, Virg or the South part thereof, the destruction of babylon, ovid de artia Mundye, himes pralugia, a history of Haple prosperiry, Marcus tullius Cicero, the use of pastion, the History of animals & minerals, Ellegantio, Virgill in octavio, a latten book in prose, plain prima, the glorious Starr Charles the 2nd, all valued att £ 51:-1:- (L: 122)
Inventory of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY II

15 Aug 1672 - An Inventory and appraisal of the Estate of Lieut. Col. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY dec'd taken and appraised per us undersigned this 15 May 1672.

IN YE MILK HOUSE
220 lb of pewter att 12 l p l 2640, 24 milk trays all old att 5:120 2750
twelve tubs and payles att 20 p price 240
6 Earthen potts & cannes att 10:60; 3 cheese fats 30
IN YE MILK HOUSE LAUF
3 broad hows, 6 Axes & a parcell nayles 200; old lumber 300

IN YE CELLER
Some old caste and tubbs 200

IN YE KITCHEN
103 lb of old pewter att 10
2 Copper kettles & a parcel of brasse 690
a parcel of Iron Ware & 5 unfixt gunnes 1420
one Iron back & a Chest & some Small Lumber 160

IN YE MEATE ROOME
13 payre of Shoces a Chest 3 Earthen Jarres & Lumber 700

IN YE SHED
a nagross bead (bed) two Jarres & old Lumber 100

IN YE SHED LAUF
two flock beads and furniture & a parcel of wool 900

IN YE KITCHEN LAUF
a parcel of Iron toiles a Jack a parcel hare & a spining wheel 550

IN MRS WILLOUGHBEYES CHAMBER LAUF
a feather bead and what belongs to Jr.
100

a little table & Carpet; Cushions 3 stools & a parcel Cotton 220
a parcel of old Iron and glasses & other Lumbar 100

IN HER CHAMBER
one feather bead and furniture 1200
one Tundle bead & furniture 700
a little table a Carpet & 6 old Chaires 250
a little table 7 small stools & a Childs Chaire 90
a still a warming pan small androns & fire tongs 270
a Chest with what is in it 2752

4 Gores, one Chest a loocking glasses, an old box of draws a manger
& other trifles 680

a parcel of Books 1500

IN YE QUARTERING HOUSE
9 very old flock beads & furniture & 2 iron pestles 300

WITHOUT DOORS
a boat with sayles & other appurtenances 500; a Cart & wheeles 400
old Flow Irons & grindston 150; 33 caws & barrows & a parcel pigs 3950

IN YE GARRETT OVER THE GREENE CHAMBER
a feather bead & furniture & six Chaires 1200
IN YE GARRETT OVER THE READ CHAMBER
a feather bead & furniture & 6 stools OLD & Old Cloth 1600

Carried to the other side 25302

60
Brought over from the other side 26302
IN YE GREENE CHAMBER
a feather bed & furniture six Chayres & 6 stooles Cubert & Cobert) 3500
cloth one looking glasse one pr andirons fire shovel & tongs
IN YE READ CHAMBER
a feather bed & furniture 6 Chayres 6 Stooles one Couch Cobert & Cubert Cloth & what is upon It one looking glasse one pr of andirons fire shovell & tongs
IN THE FORCH CHAMBER
a feather bed and furniture 6 Chayres a table & looking Glasse 3500
IN THE PARLOR
one feather bed and furniture 9 Chayres 2 stooles one Couch oneRound table one trunck one Cubert & cobert Cloth and what's upon it, a pr Brasse andirons tongs & fire shovell a looking glasse 8495
a Carpert 3950; a Chest & what is In It Linen 4545
IN THE HALL
one Curvett? Couch & Couch bed & furniture a table & Carpett 7260
12 leather Chaires one Cubert & Cubert Cloth & what's upon it one pr brasse andirons fire shovell & tongs a pr tables and a Looking glasse 2160; a Chest with his waring aparell & other things in it 5100
goods att MR BLAKES the like thereunto was shewen us vallue att 530
two negro men one woman & Child 12000
one servt woman free att Xmas next 0900
one man servant free in Novemb next)
DEBTS DUE TO THE ESTATE:
THO: HARRIS & THO: BLANCH theire bill for 400
THO: HARRIS & THO: BLANCH theire bill for 700 ft of) bord & 40^ tob being the balance of theire bill - 7400
THOMAS GOODACRES bill being the ball. of a bill 553
MR BLAKES debt being the ball of a bill 1600
MR. BLAKES two bills for 5500^ tob out of which there is something due him for scholing the children) - 5500
THO: TURKEYS (TUCKERS?) bill for 360
THO: HARRIS his bill for 20 gall tarre
JNO: CORBETTS Ingagmt for a bill of THO: MORRIS for ) - 400
CAPT: MORISONS note for the Croop of tob already Layd out 5370 15563
Some Total 83550
(thes figures do not add up the way they are given AGW)

AN ACC OF THE PLATE
122^ of Plate Exactly weighted with stilyards 22.3/7 oz Do sent for England
his seale Ring Tooth pickers & button
AN ACC OF CATTLE
30 Cows; 20 hayfers; 17 steeres; 5 bulls; 2 draught oxen; 27 young beast;
20 calves; one Cow & Calfe more sould before the apraisal.

To the other side
AN ACC OF HORSES & MARES
3 mares; one mare foal; one young horse one year old; one stoners horse about 3 or 4 years old; one gelding gested att 12 years old in all 7.

AN ACC OF SHEEPE
13 yues; 8 lambs; 1 Ramm In all 22

This wee have done p order of Court bering date the 15 Apr last and by Reason MR ROBT: BLAKE who was apointed one of the apraisers was veary ill and nott able to attend the business wee the subscribers THO: BRIDGE, JAMES THELABALL & JAMES WISHARD with the aprobation of COLL: LEMUELL MASON have requested JNO: THROWER to act in his behalfe which accordingly hee hath done. In wittnesse whereof wee the above sd BRIDG, THELEBALL, WISHARD togeather with the sd THROWER have hereunto sett our hands this 15 May aforesd.

In wittnesse whereof wee the above sd BRIDG, THELEBALL, WISHARD togeather with the sd THROWER have hereunto sett our hands this 15 May aforesd.

JAMES THELABALL
THOMAS BRIDG
JOHN THROWER
JAMES (JW) WISHARD

bills due an acc of by MRS WILLOUGHBY
since the appraisal:
MR. MALACHY THRUSTON for 1952
COLO: LEMUELL MASONs for 110

Sworne to in Court by MRS. SARAH WILLOUGHBYE this 15 Aug 1672

Teste WM: PORTEN CICu-
Will of SARAH WILLOUGHBY of Lower Norfolk County  
(Nco E 163)  
(p # 323 )

wd 15 Sep 1673 wp 17 Feb 1673/4 by MRIS FRANCES MASON & MRIS MARGRETT MASON  
Exor: Overseers: LEMUEL MASON, JNO: PORTER SEGR:, WM: PORTEN & GEORGE NEWTON  

...........wido being sick, but of perfect memory.........................

to my two children THOMAS & ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY and the two to bee sole Exequetors and to have it Equally divided betweene them and they to bee comitted to the Care and Tuition of LEMUELL MASON, JNO: PORTER SEGR:, WILLIAM PORTEN & GEORGE NEWTON whome I request to bee the overseers of this my last will and testament and the sd GEORGE NEWTON to live in the house and to have a Care of the Estate, butt nothing to bee done without the consent of the sd LEMUEL MASON, JNO: PORTER SEGR: & WM: PORTEN.

In witness whereof I have hereto sett my hand the day above and for all my wearing apparell Child bead linen I give to my daughter ELIZABETH sig-net seale & die in the presence of us; to Everyone of the overseers I give a mourning ring and to the girl SUSANNA I give a Cow and to have her well cloathed.

SARAH WILLOUGHBY & SEALE
III Generation - Issue of Thomas Willoughby III

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY III, Gent. — THOMAS WILLOUGHBY IV, only son
b betw 1665 - 1661? b bef 1700
wd 4 Feb 1711/12 wp 16 May 1712 = by 20 Jul 1717 (Nco 1p328)
= before 1689 Issue: ANNE MASON dau of Thomas & Elizabeth
MARGARET b
wd 23 May 1758 wp Jul 1758 (Nco 1p28)
In his father's will: "my dwelling
Plantation" & negroes: Roben, Charles,
Toby, Georgey, Nanny, & Jenny; bed &
furniture in the Hall Chamber; Sword,
Belt, Sadle, Sridle, Holster, Pistolls,
and the new Gunn; Residue of Cattle,
Horses, Sheep & household goods,
plate, money to wife & son Thomas.

— MARGRETT WILLOUGHBY
b = before 1711 (father's will)
MR. JOHN PORTER b
wd 25 Jun 1731 wp 16 Nov 1733 (Win1)
Names a dau SARAH in Antiqua in 1711.
In her father's will: negroes Moll, &
boy Jacke, the bed & furniture in the
Parlor Chamber & to son in law John
my new gunn.

— ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY
b after 1695
d Not married in 1711 - In her father's
will: "under 16 years"; Negroes George,
& boy Isaac; the best bed & furniture
in the Parlor; "sell negro George for
ready money and lay up the same for my
daughter Eliza. when she comes to 16
or married"

— SARRAH WILLOUGHBY
b (Nco Eye 20 )
wd 19 Jan 1738 wp 16 Jan 1739/40 unmn.
In her father's will: "another bed &
furniture"; Callecoe Curtins & vallens.

— MARY WILLOUGHBY (see Sarah's will)
b bef 1715 (wit. John Porter's will)
d = 9 Aug 1732 (3N77)
REV. MOSES ROBERTSON of St. Stephens
Parish, Westmoreland County, Va.
Father's will: negros; woman Sue &
girl Pegg; bed & furniture with white
curtins & vallens.
III Generation - Elizabeth Willoughby

ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY
b betw 1661 - 1673 ?
Underage in 1673 - so born after 1657
(Nco E 163)
d.

She is in her Mother's will as co-executor with her brother Thomas and both of them are to be committed to the care and Tuition of Lemuell Mason, Jno: Porter Segr., William Porten & George Newton, overseers of the will.

George Newton is to live in the house with the children.
III Generation -

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY III, Gent.
b betw 1655 - 1661 ?
wd 4 Feb 1711/12 wp 16 May 1712

He was underage in 1673 so born after 1652
He was "of age" in 1686 so born bef. 1665

"Sole son & heir"

= bef 1689

MARGARET - (surname unknown) -
She was not the dau of John Herbert
b
d after 1712

In deeds dated 1688 -1689 - he calls himself "of Elizabeth River in
Lower Norfolk County, Gentleman, sole son & heir of HON: LT. COL.
THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the same parish & County" (Note: Methinks he doth
protest too much)

1699 - Justice of Lower Norfolk County

8 Jun 1699 - County Officer on Quorum in Norfolk, County. (Cog 3)

1701 - Appointed Sheriff of Norfolk County in 1701 (Cog 2)

1702 - Coroners for Norfolk County: THO: WILLOUGHBY, SAM'L: SOUSH &
JAMES WILSON. (Cog 16)

1702 - Justice of Peace of Norfolk County (Cog 37)

1704 - QUIT RENT ROLLS - COLL. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY - 3200 acres of Land
in Norfolk County. (Cog 196)

30 Mar 1694 - The depo: of JOHN MURDEN, aged 47 years or thereabouts,
being examined and Sworne sayeth that your Depont: being on board the
Shipp "Bristow" CAPT: HENRY SUTTON, Commander, in which shipp your
Depont: was going for England in, and the said CAPT. SUTTON having
some occasion to send his long boat on Shore upp the Western Branch of
Elizabeth River about two Days before the sayling of the ffleete, out
of James River in which boate the said CAPT. SUTTON three of his men
vizt: ROBERT SMITH his boatswaine, NICHOLAS BROWN and one knowne by
the name of JOHN, in which boate with the above named men the sd CAPT.
HENRY SUTTON requested this Depont: to goe a Shore with and did accord-
ingly goe up to the head of the Western Branch to fetch from the Mill
some Meale and from MICHAEL WEYBORNS some Corne, all which was accom-
plished with all Expedicon possible and as wee weare returning to goe
on board the said Shipp wee ware by Contrary Winds forcd into Crany
Island Creek and as soone as the wind did abate and the tide Serve wee
III Generation - Thomas Willoughby III

did againe sett forward, and before wee gott downe to Sewells Poynt, the whole fleete was under Sayle & gone into the bay yett this Depot: with the above expressed men, did with the Outermost (uttermost?) of Industry by rowing and sayling make all way possible after the fleete untill about tenne of Clock at night; and was then by Stress of weather forst to bare in for the Shoare and did Come too with the grappel & did ride till the road (rod?) break and the Storm Still Increasing forst the boate on shore between Mr. THOS: WILLOUGHBYS houses and the Little Creeks Mouth where the boat was Staved & the Meale & Corne Lost, This Depot: with the abovesd Men did Secure the Sayles & Rigging att Mr. WILLOUGHBYS this being the truth to the best of my remembrance & further sayeth not.

JOHN MURDEN

Sworne in Open Court in NORFOLK COUNTY the 15 Mar 1693/4 and ordered to be recorded. (Nco 5 DB 231)

In the will of THOMAS MASON of Elizabeth River Parish dated 9 Jan 1710/11 proved 15 Jun 1711 proved by CORJr THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & DR. WM: MILLER. (Nco 9 p 60)

Will of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Norfolk County in Virginia, Gentleman. wd 4 Feb 1711 wp 16 May 1712 by the witnesses (Nco 9 DB 163,4,5) Wit: HENRY THOMAS, JOHN LAMBERT SENR (both made their marks), JOHN LAMBERT JUNR. Another witness who did not prove will: (A?) COCKE. Exor: son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY "whole and sole executor".

.....being Sick and weake in body butt of Sound Sense mind Memory and understanding Blessed be god and Calling to mind the mortality of my body and that it is appointed for all men once to Dye Doe make and or-dain this my last will and Testament, First and principally I give bequeath and recommend my pretious and Immortale Soule into the hands of God that gave it me trusting in the alone Merrits of Jessuss Christ for full and free pardon of all my Sins and my body to the Earth to be Decently Enterred at the Discretion of my Exors: hereafter named not Dooting butt that I Shall receive the Same Ryaine by the mighty power of God and as for what worldly Estate the Lord in Mercy hath lent me I give and Dispose of in forme and manner following:

I give and bequeath my DWELLING PLANTATION with all its rights Members and appurtenances to my Son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY to the heirs Body Lawfully begotten forever.

I give and bequeath my Negroes Roben, Charles, Toby and Georgey, Nanny & Jenny to my Son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and to the heirs &c....................

I give and bequeath my Negrow Girls Mall and Negrow boy Jacke to my daughter MARGRETT PORTER and to her heirs forever.

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III Generation - Thomas Willoughby III

I give and bequeath my Negrow man George and Negro boy Isaac to my daughter ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY and to her heirs forever.

I give and bequeath my Negrow Girle Phill & Negrow boy Tom to my daughter SARAH WILLOUGHBY and to her heirs forever.

I give and bequeath my Negrow woman Sue and Negrow Girle Pegg to my daughter MARY WILLOUGHBY and to her heirs forever.

I give and bequeath my Best Bed and furniture with Two pare of Sheets and two pillowers as now it stands in the porch Chamber to my well beloved wife MARGARET WILLOUGHBY alsoe notwithstanding what is before mentioned my will and Desire is and I doe will and bequeath to my said wife MARGARET willoughby dureing her Naturall Life the Labor and Service of all my Negrows except George whome I shall order to be Sold and alsoe Roby and Jenny shone it is my will and Desire that if my son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and his Mother shall not agree to live together that then he have them in his owne possession.

I give and bequeath the feather bed and furniture as it now stands in the Hall Chamber with two pare of Sheetts and two pillerbers to my sone THOMAS WILLOUGHBY.

I give and bequeath the feather bedd and furniture as it now stands in the parlor Chamber with Two pair of Sheetts and pillowers to my Daughter MARGRETT PORTER.

I give the best bed and furniture as it now stands in the parlor with two pare of Sheets and 2 pillowers to my Daughter ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY.

I give and bequeath another feather bed & furniture and Callecce (Curtain?) and vallens with two pare of Sheetts and two pillerbers to my daughter SARAH WILLOUGHBY.

I give unto my daughter MARY WILLOUGHBY a feather bed and furniture with white Curtins and Vallens and two pare of Sheetts and two pillerbers... 

I give to my son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and to my daughters MARGRETT PORTER, ELIZABETH, SARAH and MARY WILLOUGHBY to each and every of them one Diaper Table Cloath and Six fine Diaper Napkins and Six Course Ditto.

I give my Sword & Belt Sadle Bridle Holster pistolls and that new Gunn I always called mine & that which I Generally callld my little black gunn to my son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY.

I give to my son in law MR. JOHN PORTER my new Gunn with Brass and xxx Mussell.

My will and desire is and it is my will that my Exors hereafter named
III Generation - Thomas Willoughby III

... Sell and Dispose of my aforesaid Negrow George for ready money and Lay up the Same for my daughter ELIZABETH her heirs /notwithstanding/ what is before menconed when she comes to Sixteen or married to receive the same.

I Give and bequeath all the rest Residue and remainder of my Estate of Cattle, Horses Sheep and household Goods plate money and the Like of what nature quality or Condition Soever it be to my well beloved wife MARGRETT WILLOUGHBY and to my son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY whome I make Constitute and Ordaine my whole and Sole Executor of this my last will and testament in witness ..................

THO: WILLOUGHBY & SEALE

The within Menconed will was presented in Court by MRIS: MARGRETT WILLOUGHBY and proved by the oaths of HENRY THOMAS, JOHN LAMBERT SENR: & JOHN LAMBERT JUNR: at a Court held for Norfolk County the 16 May 1712 and on Motion of the said MARGRETT its ordered to be committed to record.

Teste LEM: WILSON ClOur

INVENTORY OF COLONEL THOMAS WILLOUGHBY III (Nco 9 pp 259,260)

Norfolk County - A Inventory of all and Singular the Goods Chattles of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY my deceased Husband taken as followeth (vizt):

ITEM: IN THE CARRET OVER THE HALL CHAMBER
One bed & bedstead - pare of sheets, blanket, Rugg and Blue Curtains & Vallins, one Couch, four chairs and one Sideboard.

ITEM: IN THE HALL CHAMBER
To one bed & bedstead, pair of sheets, blanket, Quilt, Bolster and pillow, with Red curtains & Vallins and one Dozen of Red Sarge Chares & one Corbelt? one Seale Skin Trunk and one black leather Trunk and one pare of brass Tongs & fire shovell and one Old Looking Glass. (Note: This must be the Red Chamber of Thomas II's inventory)

ITEM: IN THE PARLOR CHAMBER
To one bed & bedstead, pair of Sheets, blanket, quilt, bolster & Piller & Calicoe Curtains, Vallins & lining (Linen?) Windo Curtains, one Couch & Cobert, halfe dozen of Ruche Leather Chares & halfe Dozen of old Green Chairs one table and Caroitt, one Chest and Box, one pair of tongs. (Note: Daughter Margaret Willoughby was bequeathed the bed & furniture in this room and daughter Sarah Willoughby was bequeathed the Calicoe Curtains and Vallins and "another bed and furniture. The green chairs must have been part of the Green Room of Thomas II's inventory, and this could have been the Green Room)

ITEM: IN THE PORCH CHAMBER
To one bed and bedstead, bolster and Piller, pair of sheets, blanket, Quilt with flowered Curtins and vallins, one halfe Dozen Chares Covert with the same, one seale skin trunk and one Small Leather Trunk and one Small Leather Trunk, one large chest.
ITEM: IN THE HALL
One Couch and Cover and one Dozen of Rucka leather Chairs, one table and carpit, one large looking glass and chest of Draws. (Note: Thomas IV was bequeathed this bed and furniture)

ITEM: IN THE PARLOR
One bed and bedstead, bolster and Piller, pair of Sheets, blanket, and Quilt with Green Curtains and vellins & Green Windo Curtains, halfe Dozen of Racks leather Chairs & halfe Dozen of Flagg bottom Chares, one sideboard and two tables and Carpitt, Two chests, one small looking glass, one Iron ba-k and pare of tongs, to Eight Gunns, one case of Pistolls and holsters and one Case of double barreled Pistolls, two Silver hilted Swords, one xxxxxxx, one bed & bedstead, bolster, pare of sheets, one spaire, one besides what is upon the Beds, four course pare, three old rags, two old blankets more then is on the beds, one dozen Holland Pillobers new, seven others, Eight large Towels, six Diaper Table Cloathes, two lining, 3 Dozen of Dyaper Napkins, two dozen & halfe of Course Napkins, Ten yards of Holland, Ten yards of Kentin, four yards and a halfe of broad Cloath, Twelve yards of Shallune, 26 yards of Stuxx?, Seven yards and a Quarter of Serge Denim & eleven yards of Serge, 5 yards and a halfe Cambrick Silk and Buttons & Buck- eram & Stay tape, for a Suite of Cloaths, halfe a pound of shading silk and two Suites of Cloathe clothes, one Clock, one Silverheaded Kaine, Eight Sharts (shirts), five Neckcloaths and six pare of stock- ings and one Silver watch and Chaine & Case, one Seale Ring, two pare of Shooe, two hath Twenty one pounds of Money, 94 ounces of plate & one Cradle, one Childs bed, blanket, two sifters and two wyer (wire) Ridles, eight Sickles. (Note: Elizabeth Willoughby bequeathed the best bed & furniture in the parlor and her sister Mary was bequeathed the other bed and the white curtains & Vallens.)

ITEM: IN THE KITCHEN
Seven Iron Potts, Grate and Small, four Small brass Kettles, one large Coper Kittle, about thirty Gallons and one Brass Kittle about twenty gallons & one Brass Ladle Skimer & Chaifing Dish, four brass Candle Sticks, one iron, one iron Driping pann and Six Iron Spits, one pare of Rack and irons and two bell metle Skillets, one frying pan, one flesh fork, one pare of tongs and four Iron Pothooks and four Racks, one Pestell and one handmill, 300 pounds of Pewter, one Steale plate whipsaw, one Iron Whipsaw, four Cross Cutt saws and one handsaw and one fine saw, a percell of Garners and Joyners Tooles one Iron Darwin (drawing?) knife and one Iron frow & one Crow, 5000 Eight peny nayles, 7000 Six penny, two thousand four peny nayles, 830 Sheathe Nailles, 500 halfe Crown nailles and one pare of Grate Stillards and two pare of Small and Case hook and Grate Gun and Cariage (a Cannon?), two stocks of bees, Eight pounds and three quarters of beeswax, five earthen Jars, four Earthen Jugs and two Earthen potts and two pans, Seven lining White (linen wheel?) three Woollen, Six pare Cards, Seven Horses, three Mares and two foales, forty head of Cattle, thirty six head Hogs, Seventy one head of Sheep, one boat, Sayles, Graplin and Road, Twelve Sider Casks and five Dozen bottles, one Half hour Glass & Gaging Rod, Eighteen books and a parcell of old books & old Sider Cask & Tubs, pailles and old Rigings & old Chares & Stoolees and Chest
III Generation - Thomas Willoughby III

and old Ropes and lines & a parcel of paper pictures, one Grine Stone, two Slates & 16 foot of pine plank as much oake planck as will build a Eighteen foot Boat, three yearn? windes?, one bell and one bell mettle, mortar and pestell, thirty pounds of Lead, Seventy pounds of old Iron and one Small Could Slite?, one large gratter & two funnell, one flask and one Cart (or Cast) & pinchers & Nipers and alls (awls), a parcell of knifes and forks, one box Iron, 9 sides of Soull Leather, 6 sides of uper Leather, to 1 pare of Silver Tooth pickes, to a Coiver of a Silver vessell to two old mens Sadles.

Sixteen negroes Juy ye 17th 1713 MARGARET WILLOUGHBY THOMAS WILLOUGHBY

Sworne to this 17th day of July by MRS. MARGARETT WILLOUGHBY in open Court to be a true and perfect Inventory of her Deceased Husband COR\textsuperscript{1} THOMAS WILLOUGHBY dec'd his estate to the best of her knowledge & that if any more should hereafter Come to her knowledge that She render an account thereof to the Court and ordered to be recorded.

(No valuation is given) Teste THO: BUTT CCur

(Note:Comparing this inventory with that of Thomas II it seems that two rooms are missing in this inventory: the garret over the Green Chamber, or Parlor Chamber, and Mrs. Willoughby's Chamber.) & (Everything in the Kitchen "Lauf" and outhouses and outdoors seems to be listed as being in the kitchen)

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IV - Generation Willoughby Spit & Norfolk Borough Line

30 Dec 1742 - CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, MR. WILLIAM NASH, CAPT. WM. IVY & MR. JAMES THELASALL to appraise the estate of MRS. SARAH LANGLEY.

(3a 172)

19 Jan 1748/9 - SAMUEL BOUSH III sold to CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY 2 lots on Cumberland Street in Norfolk Town, on the East side of Cumberland with Freemason Street separating them. Lots # 30 & 31. (Nco14 p 121) (16w236-9)

Will of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY IV, Gent. of Norfolk County, Virginia
wd 5 Sep 1752 wp Jun 1753 (Ba 317 & Nco Eye328)
Exor: son John and wife, Ann.
Wit: WM: PERSON, JOHN (+) BANKS, KASSIAH (+) WAKEFIELD, SUDDEN OAST, & AARON HUES (HUGHS)

eldest son JOHN WILLOUGHBY my manor plantation and all the land belonging.

son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY one lott of land in Norfolk Town in Cumberland St. and one bed.

son WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY my plantation with the land belonging to it up the head of Masons Creek, 6 negroes.

dauph ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY one lott of land in Norfolk Town in Cumberland St. joining up to a lott that I gave my son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, he taking his choice.

to well beloved wife ANN WILLOUGHBY 100 acres of land lying in the Northwest Woods that ABRAHAM BEASLEY now lives on to sell and make use of the money.

when my 2 youngest children come to age..... THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & SEAL

Will of ANN WILLOUGHBY (Norfolk Co-Original Will)
wd 23 May 1758 no probate given
Exor: son JOHN WILLOUGHBY
Wit: MARGARET TAYLOR SENR:, MARGARET TAYLOR JNR: & MARY (+) TRESS?

unto my son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY one Suite of Chinch Curtains in my Room and what loose feathers I have, to him and his heirs.................

....after my just debts are paid, and my Estate Settled, unto my daughter ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY all the Residue of my whole Estate, to her and her heirs forever.

I desire and will my Estate not be appraised and that my Stock and Plantation, utensils be sold as soon as my Executor hereafter mentioned shall think proper & most convenient for the Benefit of my Estate.

(her original signature) ANN WILLOUGHBY.

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IV - Generation  WILLOUGHBY SPIT & NORFOLK BOROUGH LINE

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY IV only son, Gent. (Capt.)
b before 1700  wd 5 Sep 1752 wp Jun 1753  (Nco 1 328 )

= by 20 Jul 1717  ( To 338 )

ANNE MASON dau of CAPT. THOMAS & ELIZABETH MASON
b underage in 1711 - born after 1696 bef. 1701.
wd 23 May 1758 wp Jul 1758  (Capt. Tho: Mason died 1712)  (Nco 1 28 )

1712 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY IV inherited from his father: "my Dwelling Plantation" & negroes Roben, Charles, Toby, Georgy, Nanny & Jenny; bed and furniture in the Hall Chamber, Sword, Belt, Saddle, Bridle, Holster, Pistols and the new Gunn, little black gunn, Residue, with his mother, of Cattle, Horses, Sheep & household goods, plate & money.  (Nco 903183)

ISSUE:

CAPT. JOHN WILLOUGHBY exor of both his father's & mother's wills.
He inherited the "Manor Plantation".

LEMUELL WILLOUGHBY

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY V inherited one lott of land in Norfolk Town on Cumber-land Street.

WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY inherited plantation with the land belonging to it up the head of Mason's Creek.

ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY inherited one lot of land in Norfolk Town on Cumber-land Street joining up to Thomas' lot.

1714 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & SAMUEL BUSH Coroners for Norfolk County  (Cog 25 )

1714 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & JOHN LAMBERT witnessed and proved the will of ISREAL VOSS (or Ross) of Norfolk County, whose son THOMAS VOSS was named "son-in-law" (step-son) in 1722/3 will of FRANCIS WILDER. (Sa 35 & 109)

1715-1718 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & JAMES THELABALL et als witnessed and proved the will of WILLIAM LANGLEY of Elizabeth River Parish.  (Sa 66 )

1726 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Justice of the Peace, Norfolk Co.  (Cog 37)

1728/9 - THOMAS & ANN WILLOUGHBY witnessed the will of JOHN LAMBERT of Norfolk County.  (Win'59 )

1729 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Justice of the Peace, Norfolk Co.  (Cog 50 )

1734/5 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & GEORGE WAKEFIELD witnessed & proved the will of JOHN WAKEFIELD.  (Sa 163 )

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IV Generation Willoughby Spit & Norfolk Borough Line

Will of SARAH WILLOUGHBY of Norfolk County (badly mutilated)
(Nco 1 DB 20,21 )
wd 19 Jan 1736/9 wp 18 Jan 1739/40 by all the witnesses
Exor: "ye REVD: MR. MOSES ROBERTSON, sole exor."
Wit: MARY CALVERT, ELIZABETH SPARROW, RICHARD SPARROW & DINAH NICHOLSON
(onto my) brother TH(OMAS WILLOUGHBY) one Meidore?
to my (Cousin THOS:) WILLOUGHBY - torn - named Phill & her daughter
named Jenney & xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
(If my sd COUSIN ) THOMAS WIL(LOUGHBY)YE should dye befor he arrives to
ye age of 21 Complete xxxxxxxxxxx my will xxxxxxxshall go to my cousin
SAMUEL WILLOUGHBY to XXXXXXXX xxxx heirs forever xxxxxxx equally to my
Cousin WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY one xxxxxx named Plea(sant?) xxxxxxx xxxxxxx WILL-
IAM WILLOUGHBY should dye before he is twenty xxx years of age xxxxxxx
ye sd negro child Pleasant is to go to my Cousin ALDERTON WILLOUGHBY x
xxx

to my Cousin JOHN WILL(OUGHBY ROBERTSON son of REV. MR. MOSES ROBERTSON)
p 21 -
SAM & ye other is named Harry & also to my Cousin JOHN WILLOUGHBY ROB-
ERTSON all my Debts my household goods Chattels & ready money and also
one gold girdle buckle, 2 gold rings, one pair of gold ear rings & all
other my effects whatsoever xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

SARAH WILLOUGHBY & SEALE

(Note: This will is also in McIntosh and all information in brackets is from his abstract of this will)

(The cousins named in this will are Sarah's nephews)
IV Generation Willoughby Spitt & Norfolk Borough Line

MARGARET WILLOUGHBY
b
de she is in her father's will but not in her husband's will 1731
= before 1711 (Nco 906183)

JOHN PORTER of Norfolk County
b
wd 25 Jun 1731 wp 16 Nov 1733 by all the witnesses and sworn to by
THOS: WILLOUGHBY & SOLO: WILSON Executors named by the Court & ordered
to be recorded.

Teste: Solo: Wilson ClCur (Win')

Wit: MARGARET MASON & MARY WILLOUGHBY
Exors: named in will: CAPT: CORNELIUS CALVERT, CAPT: SOLOMON WILSON &
CAPT. THOS: WILLUGHBY.

Being in perfect health & Sound in memory..............................

unto my son WILLOUGHBY PORTER....3 negro men, Jack, Triolus, Samm &
one boy Abraham, also 2 negro women by name Paul, Sarah and 3 negro
girls Venus, Nanny & Beck.

unto my son JOHN PORTER 3 negro men named Billy, Stephon, Cupid, also
2 negro women named Jenny, Cibah & 1 girl Hannah..................

unto my daughter SARAH PORTER 1 negro girl Kathryn, which she now
has in ANTIQUA, allsoe a side saddle with a blew velvet cover & furni-
ture trimmed with silver.

It is my will and desire that if Either of my Sons days without heirs
of their Body Lawfully begotten, then for his part of my Estate to
descend to the Survivor, and my daughter SARAH and to their heirs.....
.......if both sons days without heirs......to daughter SARAH PORTER..

unto my two sons WILLOUGHBY & JOHN PORTER........1970 acres of land up
the West River at Cape Fear and all my personal estate in Virginia.....
to be equally devided...........................

It is my will and pleasure that CAPT. CORNELIUS CALVERT has the bring-
ing up my two sons, until they come to the age of 20. Then for them
to have possession of my whole estate aforementioned........................

JOHN PORTER - WAX SEAL

This will proves: WILLOUGHBY PORTER born betw 1711-1731
JOHN PORTER born betw 1711-1731
SARAH PORTER in Antiqua in 1731.
V Generation - Willoughby Spitt

JOHN WILLOUGHBY I son of THOMAS & ANNE (MASON) WILLOUGHBY
b probably ca 1720  He is the first John in this line of Willoughby

1744/5 - in JOYN TAYLORS will: "and in case any of my executors happen
to die I appoint my friend JOHN WILLOUGHBY Executor............"

1746 - ARCHIBALD TAYLORS will: wife ANN TAYLOR & MR. JOHN WILLOUGHBY of
Norfolk Town executors.......(Nco H 184)

1748 - CAPT. JOHN WILLOUGHBY qualified, Colonial Militia, Norfolk Co.
( ws 34 )
1751 - JOHN WILLOUGHBY paid 44 lb tob out of Elizabeth River Parish
Levies.  (ERP'7)
1752 -  do  645 lb tob  (ERP13)

177 Aug 1758 - JOHN WILLOUGHBY £10,000 to MARGARET & JOHN TAYLOR, or-
phans of JOHN TAYLOR

Signed:  JNO: WILLOUGHBY, MARGARET TAYLOR

Wit:  JAMES TAYLOR  (Guardian Bonds Nco 1751-75)

30 Oct 1759 - Ordered that MAJOR JNO: WILLOUGHBY(& CAPT: GEO: VEALE)be
invited to be Vestryman in the place of COL. SAMUEL BUSH dec'd.(ERP30)

20 Nov 1759 - MAJOR JOHN WILLOUGHBY took his place on the Westry(ERP31)
17 Oct 1760  present at Vestry Meeting  (ERP33)
20 Apr 1761  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  

1779 will of GEORGE ABVYON - " sister WILLOUGHBY'S CHILDREN, ELIZABETH
BROWN, SARAH, MARY, PEGGY, GEO: ABVYON & ALICE WILLOUGHBY & MAJOR HENRY
BROWN  (4VB3 )
V Generation - Willoughby Spit

JOHN WILLOUGHBY I continued:

SARAH WILLOUGHBY - 1782 head of family 7 white & 13 black "within the Borough of Norfolk & South side of Tanners Creek" (4N163)

See 1V449 - 450 for a long write-up about him.
V Generation - Willoughby - Spit & Norfolk Town Line

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY V = 11 Dec 1755 Nco = MARY PORTLOCK (S&w2101 & 3N126)
    Sur: SAMUEL BOUGH JR.
    LEMUEL WILLOUGHBY

1766 - CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Borough of Norfolk qualified, Colonial Militia, Norfolk County. (ws34)

18 Jul 1771 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, House Carpenter of Norfolk County and wife MARY selling to FRANCIS HAYNES, Mariner of Norfolk Borough, for £200 a lot on North side Smith Street adjoining JONATHAN DISON, part of land bought by WILLOUGHBY of EDWARD BLAKE by deed 20 Sep 1764, same land BLAKE had bought of SAMUEL SMITH 21 Nov 1751. (Nco 25 DB 127a)

1782 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Borough or Norfolk, South side of Tanners Creek. 4 white 6 black (4 N 163, 164)

LAML: WILLOUGHBY (V Generation son of THOMAS IV)

(Note: the abbreviation of his name, LAML: was probably why Virginia Magazine gave his name as Samuel. There is a Samuel Willoughby in the next, VI, generation who was probably named for Samuel Sweny. AGW)

c. 1752 - paid a debt by the Elizabeth Parish Levy of 267 lb tob (ERP13)
    = 18 Sep 1851 (win73)

MARTHA SWEENEY
b 1776
d 1778
wd 8 Feb 1778 wp Mar 1778 (4 V83)

daughters: ANN, ELIZABETH & MARTHA WILLOUGHBY
She owned 750 acres at Sowells Point. (Probably widow of LEMUEL)

LEMUEL WILLOUGHBYS will
wd 24 Oct 1763 wp Jan 1764 (Nco 1 WB 114 )

son JAMES
wife MARTHA
unborn child b. 1764
brother: JOHN WILLOUGHBY

children, not otherwise described
VI Generation - Willoughby of Norfolk Town & Willoughby Spit Line

JOHN WILLOUGHBY (VI) II John', Thos. 4
wp 19 Sep 1791 (4/83)

Son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY (VII generation) the plantation my mother has leased to COL. BROWN, a gold seal ring with the picture of my Court of arms on it &c....

son JOHN L. WILLOUGHBY the Point called WILLOUGHBY's POINT 217 acres taken up by my father......(this is most probably the part of Willoughby Spit that was added by the hurricane about mid-eighteenth century)

daughters: ANN, MARGARET, LUCY, ELIZA & MARTHA

Plantation MR. JOHN BURGESS lives on to be sold

the two boys to have a grammar education & then to be put to such calling as they desire.

He says he has paid large sums for the people of Norfolk rather than distress them (when he was sheriff) speaks of his mother as alive.

Friends: MR. THOS: RITSON & MR. JOHN LEIGH exors.
VI Generation of Willoughby Spit and Norfolk Town Line

Will of MARGARET TAYLOR of Norfolk Borough

wd 1 Jun 1773

friend JOHN WILLOUGHBY, the elder
niece ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY
godson WILLIAM, son of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY

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VI - JOHN WILLOUGHBY

wd 28 Feb 1786 wp 19 Sep 1791

sons: THOMAS & JOHN L. WILLOUGHBY
daus: ANN, MARGARET, LUCY, ELIZABETH & MARTHA WILLOUGHBY

Exors: THOMAS RITSON & JOHN LEIGH

Wit: FRANCIE LEIGH & NANNY LEIGH

1779 - Member of Vestry of Elizabeth River Parish

1782 - JNO: WILLOUGHBY - no whites or blacks listed, space is left
blank.
On North Side of Tanners Creek from
LEML: GODFREYS to Sewells Point.  (4 N163,164)

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VI - WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY of Norfolk =

Tombstone #101  Tombstone #102

d 13 Jun 1800  St. Paul's Churchyard  d 11 Jan 1827
Aged 42 years  Norfolk, Virginia  aged 61 years

1782 - WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY - Borough of Norfolk 2 White 2 Black
So. Side of Tanners Cr.  (4 N163,164)

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SAML: (SAMUEL) WILLOUGHBY (VI) - 1782 Borough of Norfolk, South side
of Tanners Creek 3 white 3 black  (4N163,164 )
WILLOUGHBY of Willoughby Spit & Norfolk Town Line

The will of SAMUEL SWENY is of interest in this Willoughby line. wd 14 Mar 1753 wp Jun 1753 (Noo Eye 327)

Exor: wife Ann - 250 acres of Land joining to Foulchers house. Wit: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY (IV), ANN WILLOUGHBY SENR: & WM: PERSON

son - CHARLES SWENY all my other lands

unto LEMUEL WILLOUGHBY (V) - negroes

unto JOHN WILLOUGHBY - other 1/2 of my stock.

SAMUEL SWENYS brother LAZARUS left land at Northwest River.
VII Generation of Willoughby line of Willoughby Spite & norfolk Town

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY son of JOHN WILLOUGHBY II (6th generation)
b
wd 1 Feb 1306  wp Oct 1311 (4V83)

Exors: wife & LEMUEL DENBY & HENRY BROWN

Wife: MARGARET

issue: ANN, LOUISA & MARGARET
THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, gent., was the only son of ENSIGN THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and was born 25 Dec 1632, and educated at the MERCHANT TAYLOR'S SCHOOL London. (Critic, 18 Jan 1899)

The father, ENSIGN THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, MERCHANT, came out in the Prosperouse in 1610, and was 23 years of age in 1624-5 (Hotten p 248)

He is thought by Mr. E. E. Salisbury (Critic op. cit.) to have been perhaps the son of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of WATERINGHAM, Kent, and the grandson of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of DRAW ROCHESTER (probably should be DEAN OF ROCHESTER)*

A THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of ROCHESTER, aged 27, was a passenger, 6 Jul 1626 on the ship Peter and John for Virginia, and, as he is spoken of as an old settler returning to the Colony, we cannot doubt that he was the emigrant of sixteen years before. (Virginia Carolorum p 46) (Sainsbury's Calendar of Va. State Papers) He was a prominent man in the Colony, a Member of the Council and a large landholder.

*On reference to my friend Mr. Leland L. Duncan of Lewisham, a gentleman thoroughly conversant with Kentish topography and genealogy, he assures me that there is not and has never been, such a place as DRAW ROCHESTER and suggests the probability that this has been a clerical or typesetter's error in the Critic for DEAN OF ROCHESTER, and calls my attention to the following pedigree, from the Visitations of 1619 in the ARCHIOLOGIA CANTIANA, and which is repeated in BERRY'S KENT GENEALOGIES (p9)-

(Note: by AGW: IF CAPTAIN THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Virginia is of this family he would have to be the great-grand-son of the Dean of Rochester NOT his grandson for CAPT. THOMAS was very much alive in Virginia in 1654 and was not deceased until ca. 1658 when his son Thomas was granted administration of his estate in Virginia.) (CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY died in ENGLAND.)
A very hasty search of the Calendars of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury gave me three wills of the THOMAS WILLOUGHBYS, which follow, and of which the first is certainly that of the Dean in question whose name heads the pedigree, and the putative grandfather of the emigrant; the second is perhaps his son THOMAS who married JOANNA FREMLING (CHIDINGTON & WATRINGBURY are only a few miles apart in the southwestern part of the County) He names only 4 children, but possibly the two younger daughters predeceased their father; the third will seems, however, beyond a doubt to be that of the grandson of the Dean, as given in the pedigree, but its superficial nature, as a nuncupative will, forbids any certainty as to whether or not it is the Virginian returning from his voyage of ten years before, to his native land to die. The"else where" of the will may, or may not, refer to his possessions in Virginia. The whole question is a most interesting one, and will probably be capable of final solution.
(1581)
THOMAS WILLOUGHBY the elder, DEAN OF ROCHESTER = =ALICE

wd 1 Jul 1581 Ad. de bonis iss 15 May 1582 (PCC Tirwhite 20)

To be buried in the body of CATHEDRAL CHURCH of ROCHESTER next unto DEAN WILLS, my predecessor, & a stone of marble & a script or writing engraved in brass & fixed in.

to my son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY all my Latin, Greek & Hebrew books & he to be obedient to his mother, my wife.

son-in-law EDWARD MANNING of GRAYES INN & my dau. ANNE MANNING

son-in-law JEFF: DOWNES, my dau ALICE DOWNES & her children EDWARD, my dau Mannings son

wife: ALICE

son EDW: MANNING executor

Ad. de bonis iss 18 May 1582 to relict ALICE the Exor being decd.

(as hac luce migravit)

1596 THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of CHIDINGSTONE, co KENT, ESQ (PCC Drake 53)

wd nuncupative will - no date given wp Pro: 5 Jul 1596

probate by Extrx named in person of her Atty, THOMAS WHITE N.P.

...lyeing in his house in the feilds near LINCOLNS JNNE in Co. MIDDX. being sick in Bodye did make his last will & Testament nuncupative as followeth &c;

to wife & my fower children I hadd by her to whom I have not given anye thinge by me will to have Surplusage of sale of lands &c & by profits of suche leases as I have bequeathed & made unto certayne personned in trust.

1636
MEMORANDUM: that THOMAS WILLOUGHBY late of OSTHAM in co KENT, GENTLEMAN decd.

(PCC Pile 77)

Pro: 17 Jun 1636

by Extrx named.

being sicke and weake in body, with an intent to declare his last will & Testament nuncupative, or by word of mouth, did upon Saturday being the 23 Apr 1636 utter & speake the words following or the like in effect, the said MR. WILLOUGHBY speaking to MR. WILLIAM BREWER, who then come to visit him, desired him to call in his wife, MRS. JULIAN WILLOUGHBY & his brother MR. PETER WILLOUGHBY, & shee coming in, said to her JILL, I make thee my whole Executrix & give you all the goods I have hear or anie where els for my children are yours & I know you will have a care of them, Which words were soe declared with the intent abovesaid in the presence of the said Mr. William Brewer & MR. PETER WILLOUGHBY.
ELIZABETH Hogg.
~ could have come from a large estate.
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I [MCGC manor 123] upon the grant.
Issue May 9).
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Patent Capt.
I [MCGC manor 123].
Esq. (C d 1661 Richard Burgess monehs, who
by Capt. [MCGC manor 123].
[Hodges, who was advising his
will. He had to provide further
for C, che [D285] months.
205) for
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for C, che [D285] months.
\[\text{WILLOUGHBY}\].
1654 - ELIZ: WILLOUGHBY trans to
Lower Norfolk Co by her father.

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ALICE GRANBERRY WALTER

Thomas WILLOUGHBY, Esquire = ca 1631 or before = ALICE (?)

**WILLOUGHBY ALLENTON**

b aft 1664
bap. ca 1655

**MARY ALLENTON**

b after 1654

**SARAH ALLENTON**

b aft 1664

**FRANCES ALLENTON**

b after 1664

(see Jester 395-361)

**THOMAS WILLOUGHBY**

b 1654 = 1653 ?
b aft 1655 = 1653 ?
m at 1659/60 (D 5/18)

**THOMAS WILLOUGHBY II**

b 1660 = 1660

**SARAH WILLOUGHBY**

b ca 1665 = 1665

**RICHARD WILLOUGHBY**

b 1670 - 1675

**THOMAS WILLOUGHBY III, Jun.**

b 1673/4 = 1673/4

**ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY**

in her mother's will
b aft 1655 = 1665

No further record

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sudden) d before Apr 1657 in Alhavos, Barking, London, England
referred to himself as a Mariner in private grants
Left the Virginia in the Prosperous in the Muscon
- Captain in 1629/30 (No wife given in 1624 Muster
- returned to Virginia from England, called "of Rochester, Kent, Gloucester (30 miles from London)"
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**COMMISSIONER for Upper Part of Elizabeth City (MCGC 192-3)**

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WILLOUGHBY - HERBERT LINE of the SOUTHERN BRANCH

by Alice Granbery Walter

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY II
b Xmas Day 1632 in Virginia
d bef 15 Apr 1672
+++ had issue by +++++++++++++++++++

MARY BENNETT, Maid Servant of his father
b bef 1640
d betw 1671 - 1682

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY II - ABOVE = by 1660

SARAH THOMPSON, daughter of
RICHARD & URSULA (BISHE) THOMPSON of Kicoughtan in 1649, later of
Northumberland County, Va.
b
wd Sep wp Feb 1673/4

--- JOHN HERBERT II
b betw 1655 - 1661
wd 1679 wp 21 May 1679
He called THOS: WILLOUGHBY "bro"
and made a W as his mark, for
Wilkinson, his father's alias,
no doubt.
= betw 1672 - 1677
HANNAH (JOHANNA) HORNE
daughter of THOMAS HORNE
widow of ABELL FEULLEN (LEWELLEN)
b
d aft 1679

--- ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY
b betw 1661 - 1673
d No further record

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The following records are all from the early Lower Norfolk County Books which are in the Clerk's office at Chesapeake, Virginia, unless reference sources are otherwise quoted.

THOMAS WILLoughby II - born Xmas Day 1632 in Virginia, the son of CAPT. THOMAS WILLoughby I of England and Virginia.

16 Mar 1649/50 - Thomas II, at the age of 17 years, was acting as attorney for his father in the Lower Norfolk County Court. His father was "out of the Colony of Virginia" from Nov 1649 until Nov 1653 and spent part of this time in England. (Nco B 141a)

18 Jun 1650 - ANNE WATKINS, mayd servant to CAPT. THOMAS WILLoughby ESQ, delivered of a child and will not confess ye father. She is to be given 30 lashes unless she confesses who got the child. (Nco B 147a)

15 Feb 1650/1 - Upon petition of ANNE WATKINS, servant of CAPT. THOMAS WILLoughby............it is ordered that she should be sett free by payinge unto THOMAS WILLoughby JUNR:; attorney of CAPT. THOMAS WILLoughBY SENR:, ye sume of 600 l tob fo neglect of service, having unlawfully brought forth a child during ye tyme of her service and to put in security or to serve ye sd THOMAS till she procures it. THOMAS is to give ANNE the Corne & Clothes which, of right, belong to her as by her indenture.

Note: In 1648 JOHN WATKINS will names wife FRANCES and sonne JOHN and "my children". His friends MR. PHILLIPP BENNETT & MR. EDWARD LOYD to bee overseers. Could Anne have been one of the children apprenticed to Thomas Willoughby after her father's death?

16 Jun 1651 - THOMAS WILLoughby JUNR: & JOHN HOLKES confess that they took a boate xxxxx & cares out of the possession of JOE: SEASLEY and the boate was lost. They are ordered to pay 300 l tob a piece with meske. (Nco B 179a)

15 Jan 1651/2 - JANE LATHAM complains to the Court about her ill usage by her master, THOMAS WILLoughby JUNR:. JANE & THOMAS are to return to the next Court & bring witnesses & THOMAS to produce "ye ropes end wherewith he struck the the said JANE. (THOMAS is 19 years old and his father had been away for over a year) JANE LATHAM was a headright in the Nov 1651 certificate to THOMAS WILLoughby JUNR:(Nco B 179a & 210)

15 Apr 1653 - THOMAS WILLoughby JUNR granted a certificate for land for the transportation of MARY BENNETT et als. MARY BENNETT is also listed as a headright in CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY'S patent in 1654, probably a renewal. (Nco C 44 & Nu 302)

Note: This seems to be the end of young Thomas' troubles for a while. His father returns home 1653 in the month of Nov., probably to celebrate his son's 21st birthday December 25, 1653.
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21 Sep 1654 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: is fined 50 l tob for swearing in open Court. He is now almost 22 years old and his father has been home 10 months. (Noo C 95a)

(and on the same day)

21 Sep 1654 - Upon ye complaint of MARY BENNETT & by & with ye consent of CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, her master, it is ordered that she shall have her freedom to dispose of herself within this County untill she shall be brought to badd & one moneth after.

She the sd BENNETT puttinge ye CAPT. WILLOUGHBY nor his son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY to no charge nor expense & at ye monethes end to return to ye sd CAPT. WILLOUGHBY his service again. (Noo C 97)

15 Nov 1654 - Whereas MARY BENNETT caused an accon to be entered against THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: the ye sd WILLOUGHBY sendinge his letter to this Court wherein he craved a referring to ye next Court ye Coms: of this Court viewinge his letter & takinge ye matter into consideracon, doth grant him a reference. And with order that ye said THOMAS WILLOUGHBY shall make his psionall appearance at ye next Court to be held for this County whereby to answer ye said accon. And it is further ordered that she ye sd MARY BENNETT shall have libertie to dispose of herselfe within this County where she thinke fittinge untill ye next Court and the Court to save harmelesse those that shall entartayne her the sd MARY BENNETT. (Noo C 105)

15 Dec 1654 - Know all men by these presents that I RICHARD STARNELL of the Westerne Branch of Elizabeth River in the County of Lower Norfolk, Cooper, doe bindes over all my whole Estate unto CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the aforesaid County upon breach of the Condicon following. Witness my hand this 15 Dec 1654.

RICHARD STARNELL

Note: RICHARD STARNELL, Cooper in his 1655 will leaves "all his land" being 700 acres ......lying in Deep Creeke........................

In the above "of Westerne Branch" must be a clerk's error. (AGW)

His land was close to JOHN HERBERT's land.

The condicon of this obligation is such that if the bond bound on RICH; STARNELL shall save Defand and forever keepe harmelesse THOMAS WILLOUGHBY sonne to the said CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY aforesaid of and from all dam-age trouble or molestacon whatsoever that shall or may arise from MARY BENNETT, servant to ye said CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY or by any Charge for or towards the bringinge upp of the Child shee now hath. That then this present writinge be voyde and of none effect or else to remaine in full force power & vertue. Dated under my hand this 15 Dec 1654.

Wit: THOMAS FFULCHER

RICHARD STARNELL

CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY in open Court engaged himselfe to Deliver unto MARY BENNETT to and for ye use of the Child which shee now hath, one heiffer of two yeresould uppon Demand. (Noo C 110)

15 Dec 1654 - We doe present THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: for comitting of fornication with MARY BENNETT SINGLEWOMAN, his fathers servant.(C 113a)
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The preceding records prove that Mary Bennett had a child by Thomas Willoughby Junior and that the child was born between 15 Nov & the 15 Dec 1654. Thomas is almost 22 years old. The child in all (AGW) probability was born at Richard Starnell's house.

15 Dec 1654 - It is ordered by Joynt Consent in open Court between CAPT THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & MARY BENNETT, servant to ye sd CAPT. WILLOUGHBY, that ye said MARY BENNETT shall be free and at her owne disposal presently the payeing to ye sd CAPT. WILLOUGHBY in March next one hh (hogs-head) of tob to contayne 300 pound & caske & uppon non paymt thereof that than the ye sd MARY BENNETT is to returne to her Masters service againe And alsoe the ye sd MARY BENNETT is to pay to ye said CAPT. WILLOUGHBY or his ass: one HH of tob more uppon ye 10 Jan 1655 to containe 300 pounds & caske or she to returne to ye sd CAPT: WILLOUGHBY his service againe & to serve out her full time according to her indenture from the date of these presents. (Nco C 117a)

17 Dec 1655 - The persons fined & the fines to be collected by or before the next Court:

| JAMES SMITH     | 500 l tob (f) | JOHN BANCHE  | 300 (i) |
| JAMES STEWARD   | 500           | THOM: WATKINS | 60     |
| WILL HATTERSLEY | 500           | GEORGE HYAM  | 300     |
| SAWILL GASKIN   | 600           | MR. THO: WILLOUGHBY JUNR: 300 (f) |
| HENRY HINSON    | 300           | MR. THO: EDMONDS | 600 |
| GEORGE HAWKINS  | 500           | WIDOW BECK (or Berk) | 600 |
|                 |               | ANNE GODBY   | 300     |

(f) = for fornication (i) = for incontinencye (sell) = selling sacke, brandy etc for too high a price. (Nco C 186)

Is this fine imposed exactly one year later for his 1654 presentment, or is this another indiscretion on his part? Capt. Willoughby had again left the Colony in May of 1655. (AGW)

17 Nov 1656 - Is the last time THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: is in Court, when his father's cases are given a reference until Feb Court 1657/8 "supposing then his father will bee in ye Country" (Nco D 25a)

Is this when THOMAS WILLOUGHBY JUNR: went to Northumberland County Virginia and met and married SARAH THOMPSON? (AGW)

16 Aug 1658 - He appears in Lower Norfolk County Court where he is granted a certificate for 200 acres of land, and on the same day, is granted a Commission of administration on his father's estate, who deceased in England. CAPT. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY had died before Apr 1657. (Caribean 5p205 - Nco D 161,2)

17 Oct 1659 - MR. THOMAS WILLOUGHBY is sick, but is back in Lower Norfolk County and seems to remain in the area. (He has probably married and returned with his wife) (Nco D 229)
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Note: We now know that THOMAS WILLoughby JUNR: had a child by MARY BENNETT born between 15 Nov and 15 Dec 1654, however, we do not yet know its sex or name.

(AGW)

WILL of JOHN HERBERT I alias WILKENSON (until 1664) (Nco E 185a) of Deep Creek & Julians Creek in the Southern Branch of Elizabeth River wd 15 Jan 1669 wp 15 Apr 1675 by MAJOR FRANCIS SAYER & MARY WILLIAMS the witnesses. EXOR: sole exeq. "my well beloved wife, MARY"

...I JOHN HERBERT being in perfect health and now bound out of this Country and not knowing how It may please god to dispose of me doe here make & declare this to be my last will and testament in manner and forme following (viz); I give and bequeath unto:

my sonne JN°: HERBERT me Cleare land and houseing, and as much of the woodland adjoining to it as shall make up his Equall proportion amongst the rest of my wifes Sonnes.

I give to "ye rest of my wifes sonses" all ye remayning part of my land, equally to bee divided amongst them and to bee delivered to Each of them att the age of twenty one yeares by my Executrix hereafter named and if that child that my wife now goes with bee a boy then his share of the land to equall all the Rest and in case that any of ye aforesd male children shall dye before they attayn to the age aforesaid or without (heirs) lawfully begotten, that then his or their part to Returne to those that shall survive. (the unborn child was RICHARD HERBERT)

I give and bequeath to my well beloved wife MARY HERBERT one third part of my estate both personall and Reall that is to say ye third Part of my Reall Estate is butt for her and during her natural life, I give and bequeath the other two thirds of my personall estate to bee (ink blatt) divided amongst "all my wifes children" that now is living to bee delivered unto them att their Respective ages or the day of their marriage and in Case any of them dye during their minority then his or their part to Return to the xxxxxxxxx the Rest of the sd children, and I doe further appoint my well beloved wife to bee my sole Exequetrix to see this my last will and testament performed when it shall please god to take mee out of this wicked world to restore mee to his mercy in witness whereof to all ye above written I have hereunto sett my hand and seale this 15 Jan 1669.

JN°: HAREBURD & Seale

Note: This will definitely leaves all of the land to JN°: HERBERT II and to the "rest of my wifes sons", and the "that child my wife now goes with" who was a boy, RICHARD HERBERT.

(AGW)

There is no indication of any daughter. See the division of this estate and the deeds in 1698 which tie in with this will.

25 Mar 1671 Recorded 15 Auger 1672 - .....I SARAH WHITE of Elizabeth River,....for my future subsistence & for divers other good causes & consideracons........do consigne & grant unto MRS. MARY HERBERT all &
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singular my goods & Chattles whatsoever & immoveable as well .......... of what kind or condition or nature forever .......... to the sd MRS. HERBERT her exors: & assigns freely .......... forever without any challenge Clayme or demand ........ ye sd MRS. HERBERT to keep me as long as god shall preserve my life ... Wit: WM: GOULSTON & JNO: WHITE (E 131)

15 Apr 1672 - The humble petition of LEMUEL MASON humbly sheweth that there dyed lately in the County of Lower Norfolk LIEUT: COLL: THOMAS WILLOUGHBYE, CAPT: WM: MOSELEY who were both justices of the quorum. (This item is asking for the appointment of new Justices) (Nco E 116)

27 Jul 1672 - To the worp: His majestys justices of ye peace Humbly sheweth that your pett: MARY HERBERT being arrested in an acco of the case by THOMAS BLANCH agst this August Court your pett: being hindered by an unexpected providence humbly craves a (reference?) until the next Court when your pett: God willing shall attend ........ (Nco E 125a)

15 Sep 1672 - Administration is granted unto MRS. SARAH WILLOUGHBYE on the estate of LIEUT: COLL: WILLOUGHBYE by virtue of an order of Court dated 15 Apr last....... (Nowhere in the records can I find any probate of a will for Thomas Willoughby. This record proves that he died intestate, and could be the record that has caused the statement to be published that his will was probated but "no longer of record") (Nco E 130a)

1679 wp 21 May 1679 - In his will JOHN HERBERT II leaves his land to his son JOHN HERBERT and if the child in esse "be a boy" then he is to have half, and "if nott JOHN HERBERT is to have it all". (the child in esse was THOMAS HERBERT born in 1679 or 1680 and was no doubt named for THOMAS WILLOUGHBYE the half-brother) He empower his brother THOMAS WILLOUGHBYE to see that his children are not wronged. (He is following in his father's footsteps in leaving his land to the male descendants. THOMAS WILLOUGHBYE is 25 years old and has probably been almost a father to JOHN & RICHARD HERBERT) He signs his will JNO: (his W mark) HERBERT. (The W is, no doubt, for Wilkinson, his fathers alias.) The will was proved by FRANCIS LAKE & HENRY DALE. (Nco 4DB50a)

Dated 19 Jun 1682 - Know all Men by these presents that HENRY DALE and THOMAS WILLOUGHBY Doe firmly bind themselves each to the other in the Some of £10,000 of good tobacco and Caske to bee payyd by that party that shall in any wise molest the other by Comencing any suits of Law or Causinge any Difference about the Lands left by JNO: HERBERT SENR: Decd after they are layd out and Divided by the Respective men hereafter nominated and the said tobacco to bee paid upon Demand by the person making Default therein. The condition of the obligation is such that whereas there hath beine a difference betwixt the above said DAILE & WILLOUGHBY about land and being minded to put a period to all Controversies about that they have agreed to make choyce of and doe chose JOHN BIGGS, JNO: EVERIDGE, JOHN MANNING and ROGER HODGIS to make Division of the said land according to the said JNO: HERBERT SENR:; his will, into three parts and what the
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sai\nd parties shall Doe in and about (missing) to the said Division & to
bee deemed firm and valied in Law (missing) any Contradiction or (miss-
ing) agst the said DALE and WILLOUGHBY and that the said parties Doe
make a full Determination of the Differences In that nature betwixt them
to whose Judgmts Acts and (can't read) if the said HENRY DALE and THO-
MAS WILLOUGHBY Doe stand too hold and keep then this bond to bee voyd
or else to bee in full force power and vertue.

Wit: JNO: FEREBOE & ROBERT (R) TUCKER HENRY (mark) DALE & SEALE
THO: WILLOUGHBY (mark) SEALE

"20 day of jun 1682 being the day the land was divided on"

20 Jun 1682 the day of the Division Recorded 15 Aug 1691 (Nco 5D8160)
JNO: (mark) EVERIDGE, JOHN (mark) MANNING, JNO: BIGGS SENR: & ROGER
HODGIS... being indifferently chosen by HENRY DALE and THOMAS WILLOUGHBY
to make Division of the Lands of JOHN HERBERT SENR: dyed seized of which
wee have done as neare Could according to his will and Is in maner and
forme following vizt: as to the first part:

Now belonging to the orphans of JNO: HERBERT son & heire of JNO: HERBERT
SENR: bouth decd now living with HENRY DALE. Wee doe allot the house
Cleeare ground and as much woodland Ground as is Contained from the branch
of the Creeke by the Plantation and that to bee a natural bound betwixt
RICHARD HERBERTS part and the said ORPHANTS part soe far as a marked
pine standing on the forke of the Creeke and from thence by a line of
marked trees ruing Westerly up to the further bounds of the whole Divi-
sion and for the other two parts belonging to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and
RICHARD HERBERT is bounded (vitz):

from a Creeke that comes out of Deep Creek about the midway between the
mouth of Deep Creek and the mouth of Goose Creek, to bee a natural bound
between THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and RICHARD HERBERT soe far as a marked Read
Oake standing on a foulke (fork) of the Broad Marsh and from thence by
marked trees ruing North Ely to the line aforesaid that runeth
Westerly and that part that is on the Eastern side of the Broad Marsh
and Creeke towards the Southern Branch wee doe allot to RICHARD HERBERT
as his part and the other part lying on the Westerne side of the said
Marsh & creeke towards Goose Creek wee doe allot to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY
and the first part lying Northerly adjoining to the plantation to JOHN
HERBERT &C.

(Note: This division of John Herbert's land giving Thomas Willoughby
land in the Broad Marsh substantiates his line later when he leaves the
land he owns in the Broad Marsh in his will to one of his sons.)

(This division also proves that JOHN HERBERT II decd, RICHARD HERBERT
and THOMAS WILLOUGHBY are the sons of MARY HERBERT widow & relict of
JOHN HERBERT I)

(I believe that it can be assumed that the lines of the boundaries
of the division were later corrected by JOHN HERBERT III and his cozen
(uncle) THOMAS WILLOUGHBY after RICHARD HERBERTS death)
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Will of RICHARD HERBERT (Nco 5DB231)
nun wd Mar 1691/2 wp 15 Jan 1693/4 Date at top of page is 30 Mar 1694

The Depo: of GEORGE BALLINTINE JUNR: aged 31 yeares or thereabouts sayeth:

that sometime On or about the month of March 1691/2 your Dept: being at the house of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY in the Southerne Branch of this County where was RICHARD HERBERT who was then bound out of this River to York River in a Sloop with JAMES MOONE a Sloop man at which time & place your Depot: heard the said RICHARD HERBERT discourse of making his will before he went out, but there being noe pson there that could wright it, The sd HERBERT did then call your Depont: & EDWARD ffUELLING & did request us to take notice & bare witness that he the said RICHARD HERBERT did give all his estate to the above said THOMAS WILLOUGHBY.

Signum: GEORGE (I) BALLINTINE JUNR:
Sworne in Court 15 Jan 1693/4 Teste: MALA: THRUSTON ClCur.

The Depo: of EDWARD ffUELLING aged 21 yeares or thereabouts saith that being present at the time and place above written & subscribed by GEORGE VALLENTINE JUNR: dooth well remember Each particular there sett downe to bee truth.

Signum: EDWARD (E) ffUELLING
Sworne in Court 15 Jan 1693/4 Teste: MALA: THRUSTON ClCur

The Depo: of MARY TUCKER aged 45 yeares or thereabouts Sayeth that RICHARD HERBERT being at your Depots: husbands house in the Southern Branch of this County Sometime last Sumer was twelve month your Depot: heard the said RICHARD HERBERT say that if he dyed before he was married that his Brother THO: WILLOUGHBY should have all that hee had.

Signum: MARY (MY) TUCKER
Sworne in Court 15 Jan 1693/4 Teste: MALA: THRUSTON ClCur

Mar 1692/3 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY presented for probate the non-cupative will of RICHARD HERBERT who left him his whole estate. (482)

(The EDWARD ffUELLING of the above deposition is the step-son of JOHN HERBERT II and the step-nephew of this RICHARD HERBERT, as is proved by the following record)

1677 - JOHN HERBERTS sons-in-law (step sons) RICHARD LLEWELLYN, EDWARD LLEWELLYN and (step-dau) MARY LLEWELLYN to receive certain cattle etc. at age of 16, MARY to receive hers at age 16. (Nco 40822a)

(Note: The following deeds, although partially missing, further substantiate the relationships. Enough of the original records are left to indicate that the boundaries, laid out in the division of land in 1682, or by JOHN HERBERTS 1669 will, are being corrected to their own satisfaction. AGW)
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14 Nov 1698 Recorded xx Nov 1698 - HERBERTS DEED TO WILLOUGHBY - the left hand side of this deed is missing. (Nco 608143)

xxxxxxxx whome these presents shall come know ye that I, JOHN HERBERT of xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx me hereunto moving xxxxx xxxxx for the love xxxxxxx 0; WILLOUGHBY SENR: of ye sd County In consideracon of Exchang xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx whereas my Grandfather by will bearing date 15 January, xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx of land adjoyning to Deep Creeke & Goose Creeke unto THO; xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx branch of Elizabeth River & Supposed the defalt was in the xxx not to mention it to his heires it being also laid out & by Estemaccon xxxxxxxx Now knowe ye that I the said JOHN HERBERT being the right & xxx (gr)andfather & father JOHN HERBERTS decd. for the causes aforesaid xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx Deliver by these presents, from mee & my heires forever xxxxx HBY & to his heires forever Every parte & parcel of the sd land xxxxxxxx he now (lives on?) & that is adjoyning that he now holds with xxx appurtenances, priviledges, xxxxxxxxxxxxx and to the true intent to xxxxxxxxxx no xxxxxxxxxx may arise in Law by Queroke or Quillets? xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx HERBERT xxxxxxxxxxxxx my heires & unto the aforesaid Txxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx heires or assignes forever in the penal? Sum of One hun(dred?)xxx xxxxx to bee well & truly paid by mee & my heires & unto the said xxxxxxxx or assignes upon the first lett. hindrance or disturbance xxxxx of the heires or assignes & I being the right heire of the sd ld and now xxxxxxxx acknowledge to have Sold him the Said THO: WILLOUGHBY To have xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx forever the said land, according, to true intent & mean(ing?) xxxxxxxx within menconed as Witness my hand this 14 Nov 1698. Wit:

WM: MAUND & MARY (M) CULPEPPER Ack xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

19 Nov 1698 Recorded xxxx - WILLOUGHBYS DEED TO HERBERT - the right hand side of this deed is missing. (Nco 658 144)

Knowe all men by these presents xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx to my COZEN JNO: HERBERT for xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx Doe acknowledge to have sold xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx unto JOHN HERBERT & to his heires xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx certain tract of land that was xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx Supposed to have been given (to John Herbert?) xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx dated 15 Janry 1669 and for xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx forever; I bind my self & h(eires?) xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx for his peacabley enjomyt of xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx Disturbance or Molestacon of xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx & seale this 19 November xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx 

WM: MAUND & MARY (M) CULPEPPER Ackxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Note: JOHN HERBERT I will dated 15 Jan 1669. "Cozen John Herbert is John Herbert III and half-nephew of Thomas Willoughby. (AGW)
Willoughby - Herbert  Lines of the Southern Branch

Will of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the Southern Branch of Elizabeth River
wd 4 Jan 1710  wp 16 Mar 1710/11 by FAITHFUL CHERRY, JOHN HARBERT, &
NICHOLAS HILL 3 of the witnesses.  (Nco 9 DB 9)
Exor: none
Overseers: "I make JOHN HARBERT & FAITHFUL CHERRY overseers over my
son JNO; to see that he Oos not bassell away the estate
till he comes of age to govern it himselfe as given under
my hand & seals........................................
Wit: above and JOHN (mark) EASTWOOD

......being sick and weake of body but of perfect sence and memory
thanks be to God for it I therefore Doe xxxxxx my body to the earth to
bee decently buried and my soule to the almighty god who gave it in
hopes of an Eternal Blessing butt calling to mind my worldly Estate I
bequeath:

unto my son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY a necke of Land called Broad Mash Runing
from a place Called Turtle Cutt and from thence to an Oake it being a
Corner tree it being in the head of Broad Mash to him and his heirs...

to my son JOHN WILLOUGHBY my Manner plantacon it being the remainder
part of ye said Tract of Land to him and his heirs forever.............

unto my son WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY a parcell of Land lying and being in the
head of Western Branch of Elizabeth River being at a gum standing at
the run side by FREEMANS LINE and runing up ye said Run for length and
from ye said gum West by North 60 pole for breadth to him and his heirs
lawfully begotten of his body forever.................................

unto my son JOHN WILLOUGHBY my Still and all appurtenances Appertaining
thereto and one hand mill and one grate pott and a brass kettle and a
gun and sword and a feather bed and the furniture belonging to it and
halfe a Dozen of Plates of puter and a puter Collender and two pewter
Dishes and the Caske and Chaires and Table and all other Lumberment of
the house .................................................................

to my son THOMAS a Gunn and two pewter dishes and six pewter plates...

to my son WILLIAM two pewter dishes and to my son JOHN my horse and a
Cart and a paire of Cart wheeles and all my whole stock of Cattle ex-
cepting Two Cows to my son THOMAS called by the name Lovely and file
pole...........and one cow to my son WILLIAM one Iron pot of about four
Gallons and to my six daughters I give Everyone of them a Ewe and to my
son JOHN all ye remainder part of my Estate and all the female Encrease
of ye above menconed Cows to THOMAS and WILLIAM to run on for them till
they arive to the age of Eighteene then to receive there full portions.
And I make JOHN HERBERT and FAITHFUL CHERRY overseers..............

THOMAS (his T mark) WILLOUGHBY

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INVENTORY OF THOMAS WILLOUGHBY late of Norfolk County (Nco 9DB70)
Taken 13 Jun 1711 by WILLIAM WILKINS, RICHARD HODGES, THO: (CHERRY?),
JOHN WILLIAMS & JOHN HERBERT

- 2 old Cows
- 3 heifers at 2/16/0
- 1 booll (bull) at xx
- small boolls
- a Still 25.
- a Sorrele horse at 6 lb
- 1 hand mill
- 1 old Mare to 1 Grindstone
- to old & young sheep
- to a percell of old Sider Cask
- to 4 hives of Bees at 2
- to 1 old pot & hooks at
- to 1 old bedstead, 2 old chests and
- old table
- 8 old flagg Chares
- 1 old woolen wheele
- 1 old 11)
- Gallon runlett 6 pence
- 2 old Sadle trees
- a small pcell of )
- old iron hooks
- to 3 small Dory Hidges and a piece
- a small )
- parcell of unbroke flax
- to 36 lb of Pewter
- to 40 lb of old Pewter
- to 23 old Pewter spoons
- to 1 quart pott pint and gill
- & halfe of cash & Sault Seller
- to 1 feather bed & old Steed Rugg
- 4 old torn sheets & 3 pillows
- to a small percell of old Dingle foule feathers
- to 1 old Lining (Linen) Wheele
- to 1 old Cart & wheeles
- to 2 guns
- 1 old Barrel & a Sword
- Hamer belt
- 2.6 to a percell
- of old iron
- to 1 Iron pestle
- 2 old hand saws
- 1 Square to 2
- Augers
- 6 Corking Irons
- 2 files
- 2 goudges
- 2 gun belts
- 2 Gould
- Chissells
- 1 old Plainer
- 2 pairs of Compases & rule
- 2 plains
- 1 Chalk line
- 3 iron wedges
- 1 seckle
- 1 handsaw rest
- 2 broad hoes
- 3 narrow hoes
- 1 Cleaver
- 1 frow?
- 1 drawing knife
- 2 old ones
- 1 edge
- a percell of old Drum sides & hooks
- all old trumpery
- 2.14.09
- to 1 old Brass kettle
- 1 small iron pot & hooks
- 1 grate
- pot & hooks
- 8 round bottles
- 2 pint bottles
- 1 Jugg
- 1 Earthen
- Churn & old Earthen pott
- 1 pare of old Sheep Shares (shears)
- 1 old pair of woolen & sifter
- tim
- 1 old Mocheare (Mohair)
- pety coat all bract & 1 old Cubard Cloath
- and cousinng Cloath
- and old pr of Leather Gloves
- to 1 old looking Glass
- to a percell
- of old woole & halfe of a Cross Cut Saw
- To a percell of woolin and for yarn
- to 1 Slay and sett of gares
- and old frying pan all burnt out
- 2 runletts
- 18 gallon Cask
- 1 old Churne
- To 1 Silver Dram
- 1 Small Spicer
- 1 Small Chaine
- 1 sett
- of buttons
- 1 clasp and bodkin
- all Silver
- 1 small broake gold
- ring all at 00/17/6

Total 76.09.04

In persuance of an order of Norfolk County Court we whose names are underwritten who were Summoned by the Sheriff and Sworne before CAPT: MATHHEW SPIVEY have met at ye late house of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY late of this County decd and have appraised ye said Decedents Estate which amounts to £ 76/9/4 given under our hands 13 Jun 1711

WM: WILKINS
RICHARD HODGES
THO: (CHERRY?)
JOHN WILLIAMS

Sworne to by JOHN HERBERT to be a true and perfect Inventory of ye sd WILLOUGHBYS Estate this 15 Jun 1711 & ordered to be recorded.
No date on the page but date is 1716

Upon the petition of ANNE WILLOUGHBY an orphan of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY decd of the setting forth in her petition that She is not of years capable to take an oath but being by consent of this Court bound an apprentice to WILLIAM DALE Decd butt since his death goes in fear of her life by one Negro called Gandy he getting Sum Drink in his head did Declare that he would Kill that Dam Bitch Nan: and withall went out and whetted his Knife and putt it in his bosom and Did Declare that he would Cutt her through if he was Cutt (caught?) for Doeing ye same, and her unkle JOHN HERBERT appearing in Court on Behalf of the sd. orphan: it is therefore ordered the said JOHN HERBERT produce the sd. orphan to the next Court in order to her choosing of her guardian.
Willoughby - Herbert Lines of the Southern Branch

ISSUE OF THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the Southern Branch
b betw 15 Nov & 15 Dec 1654
wd 4 Jan 1710/11 wp 16 Mar 1710/11 (Nco 9DB 9)

IV-JOHN WILLOUGHBY of Blackwater, PAco ' -- JOHN WILLOUGHBY
b betw 1690 - 1695 (Nco 9DB9,10D848) ' b
Underage in 1711 ' d
Wit. a will in 1716 (21 by 1716) ' =
wd 20 Mar 1739/40 wp 4 Jun 1740 ' PAc 5 D8479) ' b
= betw 1716 - 1720 ------------------ ' d
ELIZABETH DELL (DALE)

dau of HENRY & FRANCES DALE
b ' -- THOMAS WILLOUGHBY
b betw 1719 -
' d

WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY of PAco 1727
b betw 1690 -
' d
-- ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY
b ' d

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY
b betw 1690 - 1704
Adm of Estate 4 Aug 1736 (PAco 4MB323)
= bef 1722
ANNE
b ' d

MARY WILLOUGHBY
b bef 1695
d ' 15 Jun 1711 (Nco9D813)
WILLIAM MANNING son of JOHN SENR.d 1716
b ' d

ANNE WILLOUGHBY
b Mar 1702 ' d
1716 - aged 14 last Mar bound to WILLIAM DALE SENR; her uncle JOHN HER-BERT. (Nco 9 D8168)

RUTH WILLOUGHBY
b 1703 ' d
1711 - orphan of THOS. WILLOUGHBY bound to LEMUEL WILSON & wife KATHER-INE - aged 8 - bound until age of 18. (Nco 9DB 14)
20 May 1715 - aged 12 - bound to THOMAS SUGGS & WIFE FRANCES (" 9DB116 )

3 OTHER DAUGHTERS all underage in 1710

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Willoughby - Herbert Lines of the Southern Branch

JOHN WILLOUGHBY son of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the Southern Branch
b betw 1690 - 1698 1654 - 1711 (Nco 9069, 100848)
Underage in 1711 - witnessed a will in 1716
wd 20 Mar 1739/40 wp 4 Jun 1740 of Blacwater, Princess Anne County
= betw 1716 - 1720 (Paco SDB479)
ELIZABETH DALE daughter of HENRY & FRANCES DALE (Win' p 34 )
b
d
In his father's will 1710 - 1711 "unto my son JOHN WILLOUGHBY my Manner
Plantation the remainder of a tract of land in Broad Marsh (running from
a place called Tuttle Gutt)." The other half of this tract was left to
his brother THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and is the land in the 1682 division
which was given to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY and RICHARD HERBERT and bequeathed
to the father, THOMAS WILLOUGHBY by Richard Herbert in 1691/2.
(Nco SDB231) (Nco 5D8231)

12 Mar 1722 - JOHN WILLOUGHBY & ELIZABETH his wife to THOS: CULPEPER
for £5 land on Southside of Western Branch, 25 acres.
Wit: THOMAS (T) WILLOUGHBY & WM: BISHOP JOHN (x) WILLOUGHBY ELIZABETH (X) WILLOUGHBY
Will of THOS: RICHARDSON 10 Nov 1716 wp 2 Mar 1718/9 witnessed and pw
by JOHN WILLOUGHBY, ffAITHFUL CHERRY & HENRY CULPEPPER (Nco 1008 48)

8 Feb 1722 - JOHN WILLOUGHBY & ELIZABETH his wife selling to JOSEPH
MANNING, Carpenter, for 50 shillings, land in Southern Branch adj. JOHN MANINGS line, to Turcle Gutt. 30 acres.
Wit: WM: BISHOP, THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & JOHN MANING (Nco F 77a, 78, 78a)

13 Feb 1722 - JOHN WILLOUGHBY & wife ELIZABETH selling to JOHN MANING
for £ 8 land in Southern Branch, 100 acres, lying on West side of South-
ern Branch at Chincapin stake, running to JOSEPH HODGES corner to THOM-
AS HERBERTS to main road and along HODGES.
Wit: WM: BISHOP, JOSEPH MANING, THOMAS WILLOUGHBY (Nco F 78a,79)

In will d 27 Mar 1733 wp 17 Dec 1742 of JOSEPH MANING of Southern Branch
...wife: MARTHA....to son JOSEPH MANING 100 acres of land which I bought
of JOHN WILLOUGHBY & THOMAS WILLOUGHBY........
(8A 171)

In will d 10 Oct 1720 wp Dec '1720 of FRANCES DEALL of Deep Creek is
named: son JOHN WILLOBE & daughter ELIZABETH WILLOBE. (NcoF75, 75a)
(Win' 34)

ISSUE: JOHN WILLOUGHBY b
1753 a John Willoughby of North Carolina sold 50 acres in Blac-
water, Princess Anne County to JOHN FENTRESS.
THOMAS WILLOUGHBY b betw 1719 - = DINAH ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY b
Willoughby - Herbert Lines of the Southern Branch

JOHN WILLOUGHBY .
b d = bef 1720
ANN b d

There are recorded deeds dated 1720 from JOHN & ANN WILLOUGHBY in Norfolk County. Is this a first marriage of the son of Thomas? (4V82)
Willoughby - Herbert Lines of the Southern Branch

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY son of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the Southern Branch
b betw 1690 - 1704 1654 - 1711
Adm. of Estate 4 Aug 1736 = bef 1722
ANNE

1722 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY bought 110 acres from RICHARD SMITH in Blackwater, Princess Anne County

13 Mar 1722/23 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY & wife ANNE selling to THOMAS TAYLOR for 15 land in Western Branch adjacent Culpeper corner tree, 25 acres.

13 Feb 1722/3 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY to JOSEPH MANNING, Carpenter, land on NW side of Deep Creek, a neck of land called Broad Mash, running from Turlce Cutt, 70 acres.

In will of his father 1710 - 1711 "unto my son THOMAS WILLOUGHBY a neck of land called Broad Mash running from a place Called Turtle Gutt and from thence to an Oake it being a Corner tree it being in the head of Broad Mash to him and his heirs." This is the land his father inherited from JOHN HERBERT I and is in the division of 1682.
Willaughby - Herbert Lines of the Southern Branch

WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY son of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of the Southern Branch b betw 1690 - 1654 - 1711
d

15 Mar 1727 - WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY of Princess Anne County made a deed dated 15 Mar 1727 and recorded in Norfolk County conveying land set aside to THOMAS WILLOUGHBY 21 Oct 1684 and bequeathed to said WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY by will of said THOMAS dated 8 Jan 1710. (4 V82)

Will of THOMAS WILLOUGHBY 1710-1711 "unto my son WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY a parcel of Land lying and being in the head of Western Branch of Elizabeth River being at a gum standing at the run side by FREEMANS Line and running up ye said Run for length and from ye said gum West by North 60 pole for breadth ...........") (Nco 9089)

In will of SAM XIV BOUSH wd 13 Oct 1733 wp 17 Dec 1736 "to my son SAM XIV BOUSH my land at head of the Western Branch that I bought of WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY"
Willoughby - Herbert Lines of the Southern Branch

MISCELLANEOUS BENNETT RECORDS

ANNE BENNETT kinswoman of WILLIAM MIDDLETON in his will Jul 1620 proved Nov 1620: He also named: RICHARD WATKYN, sister in law ALICE MIDDLETON, my nearest kinsman THOS: MIDDLETON. His overseers were friends and neighbors THOS: ARMESTON AND JOHN WATKYN. (PCC-Soame 459)

PHILLIPP BENNETT & EDWARD LOYD named as friends to be overseers of 1648 will of JOHN WATKINS (Nco b 127a )

1654 - MARY BENNETT transported to Lower Norfolk County by CAPT: THOMAS WILLOUGHBY. (Nu 302 )

THOMAS BENNETT = bef Dec 1655 = ANN SNAYLE (Nco C 203) dau of HENRY SNAYLE of Little Creeke
His will Dec 1655 p Feb 1655/6

Issue: (Nco E 51 )

GEORGE BENNETT, EDWARD BENNETT, ELIZABETH BENNETT & MARY BENNETT
This issue in will of CHARLES EDGERTON Apr 1669 p Jun 1669 (Nco E 51 )

ANNE BENNETT (X) witnessed 1685 will of NATHANIEL BRANKER (Nco 4p218)

WILLIAM BENNETT - witnessed will of THOS: MOSIER, Carpenter May 1679 (Nco 4p56 )
Willoughby - Herbert Lines of the Southern Branch

WILLOUGHBY in NORTH CAROLINA RECORDS:

1679 - JOHN WILLoughby was a witness to the earliest North Carolina grant of 250 acres on Albemarle River to JOHN VARNHAM ESQR Precinct of Shaftsbury. (NC-J 1P47)

18 Nov 1681 - JOHN WILLoughby wit. deed (grant) to STEPHEN SCOTT IN Precinct of Carteret, North Carolina (NC-J 1p48)

25 Feb 1696/7 - JNO: WILLoughby Grant of 192 acres on Perquimans River in North Carolina

24 Jun 1704 - JOHN WILLoughbie living in Perquimans Precinct, North Carolina on NE side of Perquimans River (NC-J 9p1140)

12 Nov 1734 - JOHN WILLoughby bought 100 acres on SS Horse Swamp from WILLIAM EVANS for 37 pounds. (NC-Ber 3p149)

13 May 1735 - JOHN WILLoughby's land in Horse Swamp mentioned (ibib151)

1740 - JOHN WILLoughbys land in Horse Swamp, Bertie Co., N. C.(ibib238)

1743 " " (ibib267)

18 Feb 1752 - Deed - PAUL PENDER 75 acres for £ 50 money paid by JOHN WILLOBY deceased & land transferred to his son JOHN WILLOBY Land on SS Horse Swamp adjacent JOHN WILLOBY SENR. Rec. May Court 1753 (NC-Ber 5p)

1735 - THOS: WILLOBY witnessed a deed in Bertie County, N. C. (NC-Ber 3p155)

will 1753 - 1758 - THOMAS WILLOUGHBY of Pasquotank Co., North Carolina He had wife NANCY, half-brother THOMAS EVINS No issue named. (Grimes 9)

1738 - MARY WILLOBY witnessed a deed in Bertie County, N. C. (NC 8er 3p190)

1825 - NANCY WILLOUGHBY left an estate in Currituck Co., N. C. to one THOMAS LEE. (Jones-NC wills)
Willoughby - Herbert Lines of the Southern Branch

PRINCESS ANNE COUNTY WILLOUGHBYs

MAJOR THOS: WALKE --- COLL THOS: WALKE (1 Va74, 75, 76)
decd 1773 will 1760 will 1796 (und.21 in 1767)
= (1) --------- = 23 May 1788 Win3
MARGARET THOROWGOOD ELIZABETH NEWTON
decd 1773 sur WM: WHITE

sister of

CAPT: JOHN THOROWGOOD CHARLES WILLIAMSON
will 1766
= MARY ANNE ---
she = bef 1773
- PHRIPP

-- ELIZABETH WALKE
= 4 Aug 1769

-- MOLLY WALKE
= 28 Feb 1765 Win3 --------JAMES MURDAUGH
JAMES MURDAUGH b bef 1796

-- FANNY WALKE --------WRIGHT WESTCOT
= 5 Mar 1767 Win3 WRIGHT WESTCOT b bef 1796

-- PEGGIE WALKE
= 1 Apr 1767 Win3

JOHN CALVERT

(1 Va 74,75,76)

-- NANCY WALKE
b infant in 1773
= betw 1766-1772 --------THOS: WILLOUGHBY
CAPT. JOHN WILLOUGHBY JR. b bef 1796
(Wingo says he = (1)
Mary Walke dau of Maj. Thos.
= (2) Lucy Leigh
dau of Frances & Lucy leigh)

-------- THOMAS THOROWGOOD
d underage

-------- JOHN THOROWGOOD
infant 1786 will 1786 of age 1773

-------- MARY SANFORD THOROWGOOD
lived to be 21 never mar d bef 1773

-------- PEMMY THOROWGOOD
died underage

-------- MARGARET THOROWGOOD
of age in 1773
= 13 Jan 1776
CAPT: GAVIN HAMILTON Win3

1777 - WM: AITCHISON made his will in which he devised to his son WALTER
and in the event of son Walter's death, without issue, to son WILLIAM,
the Plantation in PAco called Eastwood purchased from Capt. JOHN WILLOUGHBY
(Eastwood is on the same side of the Great Neck Rd as Dudlies,Keeling House)
Summons 8 Dec 1766 decree Sep 1773

Orators & Oratrix: CHARLES WILLIAMSON & ELIZABETH HIS WIFE
JAMES MURDAUGH & MOLLY his wife
WRIGHT WESTCOT & FANNY his wife
JOHN CALVERT & PEGGIE his wife
NANCY WALKE an infant by James Murdaugh her guardian

which said ELIZABETH WILLIAMSON, MOLLY MUDAUGH, FANNY WESTCOT, PEGGIE CALVERT, and NANCY WALKE were daughters of MAJOR THOMAS WALKE & MARGARET his first wife, both late of this county deceased, which said MARGARET was a sister of CAPT JOHN THOROWGOOD decd. shew that the said JOHN THOROWGOOD died seised of these slaves, to wit, Dick, Ned, Old Ned, George, James, Toney, Jack, Vinah, Tom, Nancy, Amy, Daniel, Ned, Argel, Isbel, Brister, Frank, Siller & China, and that the said JOHN THOROWGOOD in his last will did devise as follows, to wit:

...to my five children: THOMAS, JOHN, MARY SANFORD, MARGARET & PEMMY THOROWGOOD all my negroes together with those fiven the use of to my loving wife after her decease and all my other estate of what nature or kindsoeverbefore given away to be equally divided amongst them as they respectively come of age or day of marriage, each of them paying a proportionable part of my debts with my loving wife to them and their heirs forever, and appointed his wife MARY ANN THOROWGOOD, NOW MARY ANN PHRIPP and MAJOR THOMAS WALKE deceased executors of the same.

Your orators shew that THOMAS one of the devisees in the will died under age in the lifetime of his father JOHN THOROWGOOD, and that PEMMY, another devisee, died under age sometime since the decease of her said father, and that MARY SANFORD THOROWGOOD another devisee, lately departed this life, since the decease of her said father, after she had attained the age of 21 years, and consequently was entitled to one fifth share of distributive part of the aforesaid slaves. The said MARY died intestate and was never married.

Your orators state that they, in right of their wives, and the aforesaid NANCY WALKE an infant in her own right are entitled to that part of distributive share of the slaves that the said MARY SANFORD THOROWGOOD deceased was entitled to, as your orators' said wives and the said NANCY WALKE are heirs and next of kin of the whole blood to the said MARY SANFORD THOROWGOOD deceased.

Your orators further shew that they have applied in a friendly manner to the said MARY ANNE PHRIPP, ex's as aforesaid, and to the said MARGARET THOROWGOOD now of age and JOHN THOROWGOOD, infant under age, whom your orators pray may be made defendants to this bill of complaint, etc....

Three separate bills in Chancery were introduced, the defendants having asked for abatements because of the marriage of one or more of the plaintiffs FANNY, PEGGIE, & NANCY WALKE are infants. The final summons 14 Jul 1772 shows that FANNY = WRIGHT WESTCOT, PEGGIE = JOHN CALVERT & NANCY is = to JOHN WILLOUGHBY JUNR ......

13 Aug 1773 the deft. Mary Anne Phripp ex's of the last will of Capt. John Thorowgood decd and Margaret & John Thorowgood his children made sworn answer, raising no objection to the partition. This answer refers to NANCY the wife of John Willoughby as "an infant by the said John her next friend" The last of the 3 bills refers to defendant JOHN THOROWGOOD as "then an infant but now of full age"
Willoughby - Herbert Lines of the Southern Branch

PRINCESS ANNE COUNTY WILLOUGHBYs

Where do these Willoughbys belong, with the Southern Branch Line?

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY father of ---- THOMAS WILLOUGHBY

1775 - 50 acs of Land PAco (3N4)

1777 - to be paid 330 l tob by

acct by Vestry of Lynnhaven Parish (LyVB 106)

1782 - 50 acres of land PAco

1 horse 2 cattle (4N137)

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY father of ---- JOHN WILLOUGHBY

1782 - 50 acres of land

no slaves, 1 horse, 3 cattle in PAco (4N137)

PRINCESS ANNE COUNTY MARRIAGES:

JOHN WILLOUGHBY = 8 Aug 1787 = UNISS BERRY sur: WM: MORRISS (Win3p116)

Mar. by Rev. Joshua Lawrence who records Unice & year only.

JOHN WILLOUGHBY = 1787 = SARAH MANSFIELD mar. by Rev. Joshua Lawrence,

Baptist Minister, PAco. (2N72)

THOS: WILLOUGHBY JR. = 1788 = ANNE SILLIVANT mar by Rev. Joshua Law-

rence, Baptist Minister, PAco. (2N72)

THOS: WILLOUGHBY = 22 Dec 1790 = FANNY WRIGHT Wm. Wright makes oath

Fanny is of lawful age, no relationship stated. Sur: John Salisbury

Mar. by Rev. Joshua Lawrence who gives year only, PAco. (Win3 p 177)

HANSON WILLOUGHBY = 24 Jun 1794 = JULIA KINSEY dau of Henry Kinsey

sur: Solomon Willoughby PAco -mar by JAMES DAWLEY (Win3 116)

SOLOMON WILLOUGHBY = 24 Jun 1794 = REBECCA MANSFIELD

sur: Hanson Willoughby (Win3 116)
JOHN WILLOUGHBY of Annarundle County, Maryland, Yeoman
wd 2 Jan 1702/3 wp 11 Mar 1702/3 by all the witnesses
Wit: JOHN WATERS, PETER HYETT, CORNELIUS WHITE (Hall or Records
Exor: wife SARAH & son in law ROBERT ffranklyne/Annapolis, Maryland
Wills ff 224-226)

Seing in sound mind and perfect health.........................

As for my body I comitt to the Earth to be decently buried as near as
maybe to my old Master ROBERT fFRANKLYNE and to be Honourably Interred
in the best manner this Country useth my Corps to be attended att the
funerall with all my fellow Officers and Soldiers belonging to HERRING
CREEK HUNDRED and others my neighbors and acquaintance att discretion
of my Executors...........................................

unto SARAH my dear and loving wife all my estate both reall and per-
sonall and to her assignes for and during the terme of her naturall
life without impeachment of any manner of (ways or wast?) with power
to dispose of such part thereof together with my son in law ROBERT
ffRANKLYN as is hereafter expressed if they two shall soe think fitt.

unto my sister and brothers in England and their representatives
£80 Sterling to be equally divided amongst them.................

unto my dau-in-law SARAH PARISH 3 negroes named Tony, Leanah and Kate
and the issue of her body to be lent or given to her or her issue by
my Executor from time to time and always..........................

unto my brother in law RICHARD GOTT 2 negroes Moll and James.........
and also one suite of my apparell to be choosen by the said RICHARD GOTT
within one month after my decease..............................

unto my son in law ROBERT ffranklyn ...after decease of my wife..all
my estate both reall and personal provided of the said ROBERT ffrank-
lin shall hereafter att any time or times happen to have one or more
son or sons lawfully begotten or to be begotten shall name one of them
WILLOUGHBY and use utmost endeavour allways to continue of that name
soe long as he and his heirs shall enjoy any part of my Estate as a-
foresaid..........and never suffering my said daughter in law SARAH
PARISH and his own sister to want for good and sufficient maintenance
with meat drink washing and lodging and apparell and also useing his
utmost endeavours to give notice and pay the said £80 to my said sisters
and brothers in England with all convenient speed..................

JOHN (9) WILLOUGHBY

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WILLIAM WILLOBY of Dorchester Co., Maryland, Plaisterer
wd 13 Sep 1712 wp (not dated except 1713) date below is 28 Apr 1713
Wit: WILLIAM COVIE & MARY COVIE who proved the will
Exor: son ANDREW WILLOBYE "only wholly exor" Hall of Records
Annapolis, Md.
finding my selfe att present indisposed in Body Wills 13ff538-9
and being sensible that death is a debt due to nature by all men, but
not knowing when it shall please Almighty God to require this debt
from me, being willing to settle and order this small estate, while I
have sound understanding doe make this my Last Will and Testament in
manner and forme &c...........................................

unto my dear and loving wife ANNE WILLOBY one feather bed and furni-
ture and half of the moveable and half my cattle........

unto my youngest daughter SARAH WILLOBY my own bed and all belongeth
to itt and the other half of my moveables and half my cattle.......... 

unto my son ANDREW WILLOBYE one feather bed and all belonging to itt
and all my best Cloaths, one Cow and Calfe called White Lock...........

to my son SAMUELL WILLOBYE £3/5 my gun, plow, and harnes............

WILLIAM (W) WILLOBYE Seale

I give unto my son EDWARD WILLOBYE one shilling; my mony to be Equal-
ly divided to wife and daughter ....

Proved ye same day ye bond was taken 1713
LINE A ---- ISSUE OF CHARLES WILLOUGHBY and MARGARET CLINTON

WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY 1st son
b = ob vita patris
ELIZABETH dau of SIR CHRISTOPHER HILLIARD, Kt.

CHARLES WILLOUGHBY 4th son
ob s. p.

ANN WILLOUGHBY
= SIR WILLIAM FELHAM of Brocklesby Co. Linc., Kt.

KATHERINE WILLOUGHBY
= SIR JOHN SAVILE of Hoully, co. Eber., Kt.

EDWARD WILLOUGHBY 3rd son
b = ELIZABETH dau of FRANCIS MANBY of Elsham co. Linc. & widow of John Prefect of Derby

SIR THOMAS WILLUGHBY 5th son
b = MARY dau of JOHN THORNEY of Fenton Com. Nott., Esq.

SIR AMBROSE WILLOUGHBY 2nd son
b = KNIGHTED 1603 Seated at Malton, Com. Gloucester
b = SUSAN dau of ...... BROOKE by a dau of ROBERT PATES of Com. Cloue, Esq.
= (2) SIR ROBERT LOVETT of Sulbury of Com. Bucks, Kt.

MRS. ALICE GRABENBY WALTER
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FRANCIS WILLUGHBY 1st son
b = 1613 d 1666
He drowned in Barbadoes

1636 - He complained of Partiality in the levying of ship money in Lincolnshire.
26 Jan 1647 - He had made the Earl of Carlisle the Proprietor of Barbadoes. Was commissioned Governor of Barbadoes.
25 Dec 1649 - His estates were Sequestered by Parliament "Since all is gone at home," said he "it is time to provide elsewhere for a Being" and turned to the colonies.
29 Apr 1650 - He arrived at Barbados and was received as Governor 7 May.
11 Jan 1652 - He was promised the restoration of his estates in England and free enjoyment of his property in Barbados, Antiqua, and Surinam. Guiana, but an Act of Assembly passed on 4 Mar 1652 required him to leave Barbados in 8 days and not to return.
At the restoration he was restored to the Governor of Barbadoes & also made Gov. of St. Kitts. Nevis, Montserrat & Antiqua.
10 Aug 1663 - He arrived in Barbados. There are 1668 Deeds in the Barbados Records.
= ca 1628
ELIZABETH CECIL 3rd dau & co-heir of b Edward Cecil, Viscount
= 1661 Wimbledon
= But. at Knaith, Lincolnshire

WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY 6th Barion in 1666
b = wd Mar 1673 wp 16 Apr 1673
He was in Barbados 10 Apr 1673
= ANNE HUNPLET dau of Philip of Yorks.
On 3 Jan 1670 he succeeded as Gov. of Barbados & the Caribee Islands.
He left a numerous family but spoke of only one son in his will.
To his brother Charles all of his estate in America after my sons death. To his wife all estate in Barbados, Antiqua & any part of America during her life.

ELIZABETH WILLOUGHBY died unmarried

CHARLES WILLOUGHBY 8th Lord Parham
Lord Charles in Deed in Barbados 1679

FRANCES WILLOUGHBY = SIR Bulstroe
= Whitlock of Wilts, Kt.

CATHERINE WILLOUGHBY
= MARY
= REBECCA WILLOUGHBY = RICHARD HULL (was he of Hulls Creek, Va.?)

EDWARD WILLUGHBY (4 Ed 371)
only son and heir called George d by others
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= REBECCA dau of a Draper of Southwark

EDWARD WILLUGHBY
b = d an infant
HERN WILLUGHBY
b = 1626 in Atewky
He went to Virginia
In 1667 his descendant
HERN W. of Va. became 17th Lord Parham (Stewart 637)
= MARY
= RICHARD WILLUGHBY - dau of WALDORF

REBECCA WILLUGHBY = RICHARD HULL (was he of Hulls Creek, Va.?)