

silver plate, to be kept in remembrance of me, the said five pounds to be retained and kept in the hands of my said brother, to be bestowed within three years next after my decease if the said Dorothy be then living. Elizabeth Whiston, daughter of Mr. Nicholas Whiston and god daughter of my dearest wife deceased. John Hocom my godson, son of John Hocom the elder my farmer and sometimes household servant. Other servants named. The poor of Worth and of East Greenwich[?]. To all my sisters living at the time of my decease and to their husbands that shall survive me and to all the overseers thirty shillings each, to buy for each of them one ring of gold with this posie: *Memor esto mortis et mortui*: engraven in the inner side of the same next the finger. Three hundred pounds to be invested in lands &c. and the revenue used for the yearly redemption of Christian protestant Englishmen found under the bondage, slavery and tyranny either of the Turkish Monarch, otherwise called the Grand Signor, the King of Spain or any other popish prince &c. &c. And I do appoint &c. my worthy friends Robert Goodwyn of Horne in Surrey Esq., John Goodwyn of the Inner Temple, London, Esq., brother of the said Robert, my much respected loving brother in law Richard Southcott of Calverley *als.* Calwoodlye in Devon Esq. and my well beloved brother Henry Whitfield &c. overseers of this my last will and testament. Signed John Whitfield.
Goare, 84.

STEPHEN SPARROWE of St. Olave Southwark, Surrey, citizen and merchant taylor of London, 18 February, 1 Charles, proved 22 February 1625. I give and bequeath unto my brother Henry Whitfield twelve pence. To my loving wife Margaret Sparrowe all my goods &c., and I make her sole executrix.

Wit: Elizabeth Harvye, Mary Worlington and Tho. Wannerton, Scr.
Book Yeast, Arch. Surrey (1622-1630) L. 203.

JOHN JOWLES of Newington Butts in Surrey Esq., 21 March 1638, proved 6 June 1639. My son John at one and twenty. My cousin Henry Jowles. My wife Cornelia. Lands in Rumney Marsh, Kent, settled upon her. My son Henry. If wife be with child at my death. I have an estate in Middleburgh in Zeland in the right of my said wife. My four sisters. My sisters Joyce Baker and Dorothy Whitfield the wife of Francis Whitfield. My godson John Whitfield the son of my sister Jane (?) Whitfield. My cousin Mr. Henry Jowles to be sole executor. My brother Thomas Whitfield. My goddaughter Margaret Gibbon the daughter of my sister Elizabeth Gibbon. If my cousin Mr. Henry Jowles die before my son John or his surviving heir shall accomplish their several ages of one and twenty years then I desire and nominate my brother-in-law Mr. Thomas Whitfields of Biddenden, Kent, to be executor.

Harvey, 101.

MICHAEL WILKINSON of the Island of St. Christophers in the parts beyond the seas, planter, now resident in London and lying very sick and weak in the house of Thomas Townsend of the parish of All Hallows Barking, in London, porter, 25 February 1642, proved 25 October 1645. There is due and payable unto me by and from Mr. Maurice Thompson of London merchant, by bill of exchange, three score and ten pounds. My dear and well beloved mother Merriel Nelson. My three brothers Robert Wilkinson, Marmaduke Wilkinson and Thomas Wilkinson. If my brother Robert be now deceased, as I do not well know whether he be living or dead, I will