1617B34 John Keene of Merrow TS draft MK01-CF CHECKED

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| 1 | In the name of God Amen I John Keene of Merrow in the County of Surry Carpenter [being] |
| 2 | weake in body but of good & p[er]fect memory do ordayne this as my last will & Testament |
| 3 | Inprimis I com[m]end my soule to Almighty God that gave & my body to be buryed in the |
| 4 | churchyard of Merrow aforesaid. It[e]m I will & bequeath vnto M[ary] my wife for lifes |
| 5 | tyme in the lease of myne house & after to John myne eldest sonne I give my lease |
| 6 | to him and to his heires during the whole terme of his said lease and I give to John mine |
| 7 | eldest sonne the new end in my house to his use when he shall come to the age of four |
| 8 | & twenty Yeares It[e]m I bequeath vnto him more one weaned calfe It[e]m I give to Thomas my |
| 9 | sonne one Cow & to my sonne William I give ^one^ Cow ^& a^ brasse pot & to my daughter An |
| 10 | I give the old bedsteadle & a table standing in the loft & one heifer bullocke and to my |
| 11 | daughter Jane ^I^ give one bedsteadle & an heifer bullocke w[i]th weaned Calfe two kine & two |
| 12 | heifer bullockes it shalbe lawfull for my wife to sell if shee keepe her selfe a widow |
| 13 | & stand in neede therof to the bringing up of her Children The rest of my goodes I |
| 14 | give vnto Mary my wife towardes the bringing up of my Children whom I make my |
| 15 | whole Executrix And my will is that my ?son John shall when he enioyeth the lease |
| 16 | after the decease of my wife pay vnto Thomas my sonne fifty shillinges & to my |
| 17 | sonne Willyam fifty shillinges To my daughter An forty shillinges & to my daughter |
| 18 | Jane forty shillinges And I appoynt Lawrence Marter & Henry Browne as |
| 19 | overseers to this my last will & Testament to whom I give for their paynes iijs iiijd (3/4) |
| 20 | a peace. And this we witness to be his last will whose names are vnderwritten |

Lawrence Marter

Henry Browne his marke [mark]

Robert Bury

John Smyth

Probate [Latin] granted 6 June 1617 to Maria Keene widow of the deceased

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1617B34/2 Inventory

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| 1 |  | An Inventory taken the sixteenth day of May of all the goodes of | li | s | d |
| 2 |  | John Keene of Merrow Carpenter deceased |  |  |  |
| 3 | Imp[ri]mis | one table one Cubbard one forme in the hall |  | xiij | iiij |
| 4 | It[em] | the brasse pewter pothangers & iron |  | xxx |  |
| 5 | It[em] | his wearing apparrell & mony in his purse |  | xxx |  |
| 6 | It[em] | in the Chamber over the hall thre flocke beds two blanketes |  |  |  |
| 7 |  | two coverletes two bolsteres two feather pillowes | iij |  |  |
| 8 | It[em] | one ioyned bed w[i]th two old bedsteadles |  | xx |  |
| 9 | It[em] | one table |  | v |  |
| 10 | It[e]m | one box & three Chestes |  | vj | viij |
| 11 | It[e]m | six payres of sheetes & tableclothes |  | xxx |  |
| 12 | It[e]m | the wooddon tressell |  | xiij | iiij |
| 13 | Item | his working Tooles |  | xiij | iiij |
| 14 | Item | foure keene [four kine] | viij |  |  |
| 15 | Item | two bullockes & one weanier Calfe | x |  |  |
| 16 | Item | one old mare & a colt |  | xxvi | viij |
| 17 | Item | one Acre of wheat one of barly one of Rye one of pease | iiij |  |  |
| 18 | Item | seaven shootes |  | xxxv |  |
| 19 | Item | the poultry about the house |  | iij |  |
| 20 | Item | owing vnto him by John Styles of Send | iij | ij | viij |
| 21 | Item | owing vnto him by John Styles |  | vj | vj |
| 22 |  | Summa totalis | xxxj | xv | viij |

Robert Bury John Smith

Thomas Harward

John Symonds [mark] his mark