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the house of Delegates signed order. W^h signed
April 6th 1707. Read & Assented to by her Majesty's hon^{ble}
Council. & signed order. W^h signed & Council
April the 15th 1707. On behalf of her Majesty Queen
Anne of England &c. I will this be a law.

Sealed

Jo: Seymour

An Act Confirming the Last will & Testament
of Thomas Knighton Late of Annarundell
County Deceased.

Whereas Thomas Knighton late of Annarundell County
in this her Majesty's Province of Maryland the Twelfth day
of August Anno Dⁿⁱ one Thousand Six hundred Eighty &
four made signed Sealed published and Delivered his Last
will and Testament bearing the same Date in the presence
of Captain Robert Procter Master George Parker &
Col^l W^m Hoccand Witnesses subscribed thereto therein &
thereby Disposeing of Divers Lands and Tenements to sever-
= all persons and uses therein Expressed and after sometime
Dyed and thereupon Dinah Knighton his Excutrix there-
= in named Caused the Will afo^{re} to be proved in Comon -
forme by the oath of the said Colonel William Hoccand
the surviving Witness thereto before Master Henry -
Bonner Deputy Com^{ty} for the County afo^{re} who transmitted
the same to the County Generalls office to be Recorded as
usuall but in as much as it hath so happened that by the
Negligence of the Clerk who Recorded the same in tran-
= scribing thereof forgetting to Record the probat^h the said Will
is at present ineffectual to answer the Devises therein made

(for)