John Kile gave five hundred and fifty pounds of Tobacco for the Cow and Calf And further saith not

The Deposition of Thomas Scott Aged thirty eight Years being Sworn On the Holy Evangelists Maketh Oath that being at the house of the Dead Thomas Reeves At the time of the Appraisement Saw the Beds lye On the floor And to his Judgment some Appeared to be Good And the Fukin Fresh And Others Appeared Ordinary And further this Deponent Saith not

The Deposition of Noah Evan aged thirty One Years being Sworn On the Holy Evangelists Declareth. Being a Servant to the Dead Thomas Reeves for Almost four Years before his said Master Died the said Deponent saith that he heard his Master Say that the Cow that he Sold to John Kile And the Cow that he killed a little before his Death were the two Oldest Cows on the plantation And that two Young Calves when the said Noah Came to his Master had Calves this Summer before his said Master Dyed And that the rest were Cows when he Came to his S^d Master

The Deposition of Mary Tippett Aged Sixty Nine Years being Sworn on the holy Evangelists Declareth that being frequently Acquainted at the House of the said Thomas Reeves both at the time of his Death & Often before that she had Often made the Beds At the said Thomas And that there was four below and two Above All very good Feather Beds And that there was One Bed in the Outward Room but knows not what it was whether it was flocks or feathers. And that there was not a patch nor hole in Any of the Beds And further the Deponent Saith not

The Deposition of Eliz^a Poland Aged About forty five Years being Sworn On the holy Evangelists Declareth that being Often at the house of the said Thomas Reeves she hath seen the Beds Often And Saith that they were good Beds but whether Six or Seven Feather Beds she is not Certain The Deponent further Saith that As for the Tables and Chairs they were Indifferently good And the pewter some new some Old And further the Deponent Saith not

Saml Williamson (Seal) Jno Jordan (Seal)
M Mason (Seal) E Forbes (Seal)

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Whereupon Abigale Reeves the Libellee makes Oath that he has heard of some Evidences Since the last Comission Issued in this Cause —

Therefore it is Ordered by this Court here that Citation Issue to the Sheriff of St. Mary's County to Cite and Summons Mary Ward that she do and Appear at this Court to Testifie for the said Abigale against the Libellants on the Monday Next &c

All which said Next Monday to wit the 16th day of October Anno Dni 1722 being the Day of the Return of the S^d process the Sheriff of St Mary's County ag^st to whom the said process was Directed makes return thereof to the Court here thus Endorsed Viz^t

Cited p. Jno Greenfield Sheriff

Whereupon All and Singular the Pleadings Allegations and Evidences on both parts being by this Court here fully Considered and maturely Deliberated — It Appearing to this Court the Libellants had Cause to Complain against the Libellee And that he Ought to be Charged with Fifteen Pounds Eleven Shills and Eight pence Barcharged in the Libellees Own proper Account Against his Fathers Estate And the Residue that Charged of the true Value of three feather Beds ten Cows two Heifers & two Steers of three Years Old. Therefore it is Adjudged and Decreed by their Honours William Holland and Daniel Dulany Esq^rs Judges here this 16th Day of October Anno Dni 1722 ag^d That the Libellee Account for the said Fifteen pounds One Shilling and Eight pence And pay to Each of the Libellants the Value of of the Goods of the Dead in Specie being their proportionable part of the Ballance now Appearing after payment of Debts & Legacies in his Hands And pay the Cost Except what Arose on the last Comission that was Issued by the Rule of Court the Libellants giving Security to return a ratiable part of what they shall receive towards Satisfaction of the Deceased's Debts that the Libellee shall be Obliged to pay