supposed to have been committed the aforesaid William Lock of Anne Arundel County in the province of Maryland physician entered into and was possessed and seized in fee of the lands and premisses in the Declaration aforesaid abovementioned and being thereof so seized infee on the twenty ninth day of August in the year seventeen hundred and twenty nine made duly executed and published his last will and Testament in writing the Tenor whereof follows in these words to wit

In the name of God Amen I William Lock of Anne Arundel County in the province of Maryland physician being of perfect mind and memory praises be to God do make ordain and constitute this my last will and Testament in manner and form following —

1st I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it, and my body to the Earth there to be decently interred at the discretion of my Admr — as to the Lands, Goods, and Chattels wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me, I dispose of as follows, My will is that all my just debts and Funeral charges be duly paid — In the next place my will is, and I hereby bequeath my lands as followeth — To my son William Lock the plantation I now live on being part of Denah's Beaverdams which I bought of Robert Brown and his wife with all the appurtenances to it belonging to the said Land, and I do further give him all the remaining part of Denah's Beaverdams that I bought of Thomas Ford and Robert Franklene, and all Holloway's Increase, I further do bequeath unto him the said William five hundred acres of my Land called Padgot to be laid out as follows Beginning at the North East bounded tree on the Island and running West so far as a course due South and East shall include two hundred acres of Land. But my will and intent is that if my said son William should die before he attains the years of twenty one, or that he should die without issue of his body lawfully begotten that then the aforesd Lands should be equally divided between my Cozn David Weems and his brother James Weems or in case of either of their deaths to be divided between their heirs; — I give unto my Daughter Sarah Lock the Youngest Daughter of my wife all the remaining part of the Land called Padgot & the eighty five acres of Land I bought of John Giles and in case she should die without heirs lawfully begotten to my son William and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten, and for want of issue of his body lawfully begotten to Cozn David Weems and James Weems equally to be divided amongst them, or in case of any of their deaths equally to their heirs I give unto my cousin David Weems the Land that he now lives on being part of Brasley Hall, which I bought of his wife and Richard Lane. I give unto my Cousin James Weems my plantation in Virginia I bought of Edward Williams and the right of the Land escheated of Jonas Jordan to him and his heirs forever, I give unto my Cozn David Weems all my right to Gotts plantation that I bought of James Mackenlock — as for my personal Estate I dispose of as follows — To Cozn David Weems my mollatto woman called Septha & her Children already born or to be born forever, To James Weems I give the negro

Boy I had of him called Peter and George's Daughter called Hannah and Betty Haughs Mollotto Girl to my Cozn William Moore fifty pounds Sterling, but desires that the Husband may not have at liberty a Mollatto woman I gave him the money is to be paid in twelve months after my decease I give ten pounds Sterling to St Inigoes Parish to be laid out in plate as the Minister shall think most proper to be paid in a twelve months time after my decease I will & desire that every one of my wifes Children by Samuel Lane may have a suit of black Cloaths and an Ox and Calf such as my Admrs shall think convenient, I desire my Cozn and their Children may have each a suit of black Cloaths at the discretion of my Admrs the remaining part of my estate after my wifes third, to be divided into three parts, two parts whereof I give to my son William, and the remaining part to my Daughter Sarah the youngest Daughter of wife, I hereby appoint my loving wife and Cozn David Weems to administer this my last will and Testament desiring them to perform every thing according to this my last will requesting them that my Children may be brought up religiously after the method of the Church of England. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of August Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and twenty and nine — William Lock (Seal)

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence
of Robert Franklene, William Fisher, James Newton

On the back of the foregoing Will is thus endorsed to wit
June the 8th 1732 then came Mr William Fisher one of the subscribing witnesses to the within will who made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that he saw William Lock the Testator, sign and seal the within Instrument as his last will and Testament, and at the same time heard him publish and declare the same so to be, and that at the time of his so doing he was of sound disposing mind and memory to the best of his knowledge, and he further declares on his oath that he signed as an Evidence to the within Will in the presence of the Testator and at his request, and at the same time Robert Franklene and James Newton signed as Evidences to the within Will in the presence of the Testator —

Sworn to before me the day and year above
Jo: Beale, Depty Com. A. A. Coty

And the Jurors aforesaid further say that the said William Lock afterwards, to wit, on the 30th August 1729 died seized in fee of such his Estate of and in the Land and premisses in the said Will and in the Declaration aforesaid abovementioned after who's death the will last aforesaid was duely proved by the Testimony of three credible Witnesses according to the form of the statute in such case made and provided — And the Jurors aforesaid further say that the Lands in the Wills aforesaid above called Denah's Beaverdam and Halloway's Increase mentioned and the Lands in the Declaration aforesaid above mentioned called Lockedew are one and the same, and not other and different, and further that David Weems one of the