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First I give unto my Wife America and four Children my whole Estate that they now possess with all & singular the appurtenances to have and to hold during of her Widowhood and in case she marry before the said Children come to the age of Eighteen years then the four parts are to be improved for the Children, Equally to be divided to the four Children, at the age of Eighteen years and the fifth part to be for my Wife America, and if either of the said Children James, Elizabeth, Ann or Oliver dye before they come to the age aforesaid then their part to be Equally divided to the rest that are living notwithstanding all that is above said my Will is that I leaving a horse in the hands and keeping of my Wife America is to be for the use of Friends that are called to the Ministery when they have occasion to use him and not be accomptable for the Estate to be divided as aforesaid Moreover I do put to my Loving Friends Michaell Brooke James Berry and William Berry and William Allomby to be the Overseers of this my Will, for them to End and put a finall determination of all differences that may or shall arise of and in the true performance of this my Will and for the confirmation of the same I hereunto set my hand this 22.th of the 12.th month commonly called February 1659 Woodman Stockly

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Oct.r 30.th 1668 (Locus Sigilli)

Memorandum the foregoing Will of Woodman Stockly was in Court proved by Wm Burke & Geo: Abbott upon Oath

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In the Name of God Amen. the second Day of aprile in the year of our Lord 1664, I Robert Cole of St Cuberts Bay in the Province of Maryland Yeaoman being in good health and perfect Memory Praise be given to God for the same and being desirous to settle things to make this my last will and Testament in manner & forme following

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That is to say, first and principally I commend my Soul to Almighty God my Creator and my body to the Earth from whence it was taken and touching such worldly Estate as the Lord in Mercy hath lent me in this life I dispose of the same as shall be Employed and disposed as hereafter, by this my will is appointed and first I do revoke renounce disanull and make voyd all Wills by me formerly made and declare and appoint this my Last Will and Testament after my Death Certainly known.

1. Item I give and bequeath to my honoured friend Mr. Francis Fitz herbert or his Successors the best Hhd of Tobacco of my Crop and the best Steer of my Stock in Testimony that I dye a Roman Catholick and desire the Prayers of the holy Church

2. I give and bequeath unto my Loving Son in Law Francis Knott the Eighth part of all my Estate when he doth attain the age of eighteen years but in Case he should dye before that time then my will is that his Sister Ann Harrison shall have one half of the Eighth part and my Son Oliver the other half but in Case Ann Harrison be dead before Francis comes to that age and have no issue that then my Children shall have the whole of Equal amongst them.

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3. Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Robert Cole my daughter Mary Cole my Son William Cole my Son Edward my daughter Elizabeth Cole all his right title & Interest to be Equally shared amongst them as Each of them comes to the age of Eighteen years that is to say when my Son Robert comes to that age he shall have the eight part of my Estate Personall and Reall to his and his heirs for ever and in case any of the Children dye before they Come to Lawfull age then the Survivor to have the whole

4. Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Cole one feather bed bolster pillows Rugg and two pair of my best Sheets and my Spice Mortar and pestle and one Iron Pott and my Copper Kettle and one Brass Skimming Iron

5. Item I give and bequeath Elizabeth Cole my best Flock bed and Bolster Green Rugg one Blanket one pair of Sheets one Iron Pott Six Napkins and Diaper table Cloth and one Skimming Iron.

6. Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Robert Cole to him and his heirs for ever My Plantation known by the name of Cole and all the Land and Houses belonging to it with the Orchard

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