John Hunt
Richd Stalings
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John Lawrence (seale)

July ye 20th / 1698. —

Then came Richd Stallings Son John Stallings John Hunt with to the within written will & made Oath upon the holy Evangelist that they saw within written named Jn: Lawrence Signe Seale & publish the within writing to be his Last will & Testam.t and at ye same time came Elizabeth Lawrence & made Oath upon ye holy Evangelist well & truly to administer all & singular the goods Chattles & Credits of the within named Jn: Lawrence before me. —

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Jn: (seale) Willymott Dep.ty Commissary

I William Powell of Anne Arundell County planter being sick of body but of perfect Memory I Do Make my last Will and Testament in Manner and forme ffollowing &c —

Emp.ts I Give and Bequeath my Soule to Almighty God that Gave it hoping for pardon for my sins through the Merritt of Jesus Christ &c

Item I Give and Bequeath to my two Sonnes Richard and Thomas My Lotte plantation and to have belonging to it one hundred Acres of Land of the Land Next Adjoyning to the Land of Br.ja Chew &c

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Sonne John [illegible] Acres of Land of the Land Trac or parcell after the hundred Acres aforesaid is Laid out And if Either of them Dyes it to be to their Survivors And for the plantation And the Rest of Land I Give and Bequeath to my Sonne William And his heirs lawfully begotten for Ever And in Case he Dyes before he Comes to the age of one & Twenty then to be Equally Devided between ye Surviving Brothers And their heirs for Ever And in Case they Should Dye before they Comes to ye age of twenty one years then to fall to my two Daughters Margrett and Anne And their heirs for ever or to the Survivour &c

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughters Margrett and Anne Each of them the Summe of Twenty pounds of Tobacco in Cask to be paid at their Day of Marriage or at the age of fifteen to be paid by my Executors hereafter named And in Case Either of them Dyes the Whole to fall to ye Survivour

Item And I do give and bequeath to my Sonne William after my Wife have had her Thirds out of my personall Estate my Whole and Sole Executor And I Do appoint and ordaine that None of my personall Estate be removed or Carried off Plantation but to have it kept Toward the Maintenance of the Children until they Attaine to the age of Eighteen And then they to be free from their Dutyes

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Sonne Thomas three thousand pounds of Merchantable Tobacco in Cask to be paid by my Sonne William at twenty and one years of age

age And I Do appoint for my Wife and Children Guardian or overseer My Trusty friends Mr Benjamin Chew and William Wood As Witness my hand and Seale this 20th Day of June Anno Dom: 1698

William P Powell p Cruc: (Seale)

Signed and Sealed in presence of
William Wappowell Jailor
Mark
Simon
Roger Robins
Alex Chapple

Maryland Sob.t ye 22 Day 1697

In the Name of God Amen I Solloman Robes being sick and Weake but blessed be God of perfect Sense and Memory Do Make this my Last Will and Testament in Manner and forme as follows &c —

first I Bequeath my Soule unto Almighty God that Gave it me And my Body unto the Ground from Whence it was taken to be Decently buried by My Executor &c that Shall be hereafter Mentioned &c

2 I Bequeath unto my Wife one of my two Working horses And the other unto my Daughter Mary And my Gray Mare unto My Daughter ffrances And my Young Maire with a Bald face unto my Sonne Solloman &c

3 I Give unto my Wife Three Cows Namely ffancy Cole and Starr The Cows And their Increase to her forever &c

4 I Give unto my Daughter ffrances Two Heifers Namely Strawberry And Coll And a Browne Steere the heifers and their Increase for Ever.

5 I Give unto my Daughter Mary Two Heifers Namely Lilley And Shortthorn and their Increase And a Young Pyde Steer &c

6 I Bequeath unto my Sonne Solloman the Cow Marygold And heifer Yearling Horn and their Increase for Ever And a Bull Yearling &c

7 I Bequeath unto my Wife and three Children my Eight pewter Platters To be Equally Divided Amongst them a pewter Basin to my Sonne And the pewter Tankard to my Wife

8 I Bequeath unto my Sonne my Fowling peece And my Broad Ax &c

9 I Bequeath unto my Wife and my Daughter ffrances my two Iron pots &c

10 All the Rest of my houshold Stuff I Bequeath unto my Wife And negro Two Daughters as also my Horse harniss and plow Gears and Cart also Them To have the Enjoyment and Benefitt of them Whilst they Live Together And if my Daughters Either of them Marry Then the things afore Mentioned to be for the use And Benefitt of my Wife &c —