or no he thought he should Dye & his Answer was that he Thought he Should & further she asked him if that He had Settled his Worldly affairs and he did not Make much Answer to her but I being in the Room with him I then asked him the Same Question & he told me that he left Mr. Thomas Stewart Jun.r to act & do for him as also I heard the Same Question Asked him by Mr. Lamb in the Presence of Abraham Woodall who said that He appointed Mr. Thomas Stuart to have all that he had & that he left it fully & wholly to his Mannagement

Richard Webster

Memorandum May 12th Anno 1727

I Abraham Woodall do here declare in the Presence of Almighty God that the Words I here Letter are the Words I heard Henry Johnson Declare upon his Death Bed about half an hour before he departed this Life that Mr. Lamb asked him who should Administer upon his Estate & his Answer was Thos. Stuart Jun.r

his
Abraham ✗ Woodall
Mark

May y.e 12th 1727

Came Richard Webster & Abraham Woodall & made Oath upon the Holy Evangelist of the allmighty God that they Heard the aforesaid Henry Johnson Declare the Words above Written & that he was then in perfect Sence & Memory to the Best of their Knowledge

Mr. Anthony Lamb & Mrs. Grace Woolford being there Present

John Pitt Dep.ty Com.r for Dorset County

Bd. Rider

Maryland S.S. February y.e 21st Day 1725-

In the Name of God Amen I Robert Polk of Dorchester in the Province aforesd. Planter being very Sick & Weak of Body but of Sound perfect Mind & Memory praise therefore be given to Almighty God

do

do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in Manner & form following that is to say first & principally I recommend my Soul unto the Hands of Almighty God hoping that through the Merits Death & Passion of my Saviour Jesus Christ to have full & free Pardon of all my Sins & to inheritt Everlasting Life & my Body I commit to the Earth to be buried at the Discretion of my Executors & as touching the disposition of all such Temporal Estate as it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow upon me I give & bequeath as followeth First I will that my Just Debt & Funerall Charges be paid & discharged, Item I give unto my Son Thomas my now dwelling Plantation called Venture bounded & angling according to the Patent to him my aforesd. Son Thomas to him & to his Heirs for Ever only Preserve my well beloved Wife her Priviledge on the aforesd. Plantation during her Widowhood —

Item I give & bequeath unto my Son Robert a Certain Tract of Land called Hazard Joyning to the aforesaid Tract of Land called Venture bounded & running accordingly as shall appear upon Record to him the aforesaid Robert & to his Heirs for Ever —

Item I give & bequeath unto my Brother Joseph Polk part of Forlorn Hope on the northern End being a Certain Tract of Land formerly Surveyed for Augustin Stanford & likewise a Certain Tract of Land called Bullchack lying near the Head of a Creek called Pidgeon House Creek to him & to the Heirs of his own Body for Ever —

Item I give & bequeath unto

Item I give & bequeath unto my well beloved Wife a Negro Man called Minggo During her natural Life only I will the said Negro shall labour & help to maintain my Two Youngest Daughters Grace & Mary —

Item I give unto my Son Thomas One Gun —

Item I give unto my Son Robert One Gun being the newest of the Two then all the rest of my moveable Estate I will that it be Equally divided amongst my five Daughters only

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