

nor any of on y^e said land. But from y^e same who is every of us to
 usurer, debaucher and for ever facced and I the s^d. Hercules the said do for
 me my heirs exors & admin^r. Even y^e said & grant to and wth y^e s^d.
 In y^e stringer his heirs & assigns y^e s^d. five hundred & fifty acres of land
 app^r and a^d advocat^r, rears, & freely exonerated acquitted & discharged
 & from all & all manner of former said usurer bargain^r contract
 mortgages Statutes Statute Statute Statute Statute Statute Statute
 and all other Innumerable or Innumerable whatever And y^e said to him y^e
 In y^e stringer his heirs & assigns a^d y^e s^d. Just Saym^r Sits & Interest of all
 and every y^eson & y^eson who ever shall & will want and for ever de^d and
 do for me my heirs exors & admin^r. further y^e said & grant to
 y^e said to y^e comments from y^e said words upon reasonable demand to give
 y^e such other & further a^d y^e said & y^e said for the further a^d y^e said
 and firm making over y^e said land & a^d y^e said as to him y^e said In y^e stringer
 his heirs & assigns their curren^t debts & Attornies shall be known
 needfull & necessary for the y^e said whereof & other about y^e same
 y^e said I the said Hercules the said do & binds me my heirs exors
 admin^r in y^e sum of twenty thousand pound of good good and asks to be
 paid to him y^e said In y^e stringer his heirs exors admin^r or assign
 upon demand In y^e stringer whereof & other of y^e s^d. y^e said y^e said
 let my hand & seal this said & twentieth day of November In the year
 of our Lord one thousand six hundred eighty two

Signed Sealed &
 Delivered in presence of
 John Shoulogood
 Adam Michael
 Wm Liper

Hercules Shephard
 Perem: y^e 27. 1682
 Acknowledged in open Court by the Subscriber
 as his Real act & deed to the John stringer

Recorded January 4. 14. 1682
 Per In: Wathams

In the name of God Amen I Bartholomew Meers of Accomack County in Virginia
 being sick and weak in Body but of sound and good memory thank God for
 Almightie God doe make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner
 following that is to say first and principally I commend my soul unto
 the hands of Almightie God Hoping through his merits Death and Passion of my
 Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and free pardon and forgiveness of all my sins
 and my Body I commit to y^e Earth to be decently Buried at y^e discretion of
 my Exors. Hereafter named Hereby revoking all other wills & Testam^t
 by me heretofore made and this only to be reputed my last will & Testament
 and no other and as touching the disposition of all such temporall Estate as I
 hath pleased Almightie God to bestow upon me I give and dispose of as followeth

I give and Bequeath to my son John Rogers six hundred pound of
 Tobacco and Ask out of a Piece of land of the said John Rogers and a few to him his
 his heirs and assigns for ever

I give and Bequeath to Samue the son of William Williams and his heirs
 and his heirs and assigns for ever

I give and Bequeath unto my son Bartholomew Meers my Plantacon whereon
 I now live on the South side the Branch and all house and appurtenances thereto
 belonging to him and his heirs for ever giving him the said Bartholomew
 liberty and licen^s to make use of all kind of Timber whatsoever that he may have
 occasion for for his necessary use of his said part of my said Plantacon lying upon
 three hundred acres upon y^e Easternmost side of the said Beaver Dam Branch
 during his naturall life

I give and Bequeath unto my son John all the land from the small Branch
 Southernly to Richard Williams line to him & his heirs for ever

From J. gwd and Boqueath unto my Son Robert & William my Plantation
 Cuts Branch Northward to him and his heirs for ever and from that
 Sons John & Richard should happen to dye wth out issue from the said land
 to face them my Son Bartholomew means to him and his heirs for ever

From - J. gwd and Boqueath unto my Son Robert & William my Plantation
 all occa Hamock whereon Nicholas Bun now lives that is to say unto
 Robert to have Two Hundred acres out of the Dorisont of land next
 to Daniel Darby. the Plantation and the Remainder of the land next
 Son William to him and his heirs for ever

From - J. gwd and Boqueath unto my ~~last~~ Son Bartholomew my turner
 from David wth stands in y^e dwelling house and on land next
 my great Gunn Jatto gwd and Boqueath unto my two Sons Robert &
 William my other two Gunns

From - J. gwd and Boqueath unto my well beloved wife Mary meath and my
 Children (except Elizabeth the now wife of George Stephenson) to have an
 equal share in all the House and the said lands and as
 long as my said wife shall continue & remain a widow but my personal
 estate to remain as it is until my said Children arrive unto age hereafter
 appointed them by my said wife but if the said Mary die at the day
 of her said marriage all the House and the said lands shall
 be coming to be got up into a Son or Daughter to the said Mary that
 lovingly married William Nock and William Burton is hereby required
 and appointed to see the said Children (except as before excepted) to have
 an equal share with my wife and all the rest of my estate that I give unto
 my loving wife whom I hereby constitute and ordain my sole executrix
 I do hereby ordain and appoint my said Children to be at age as
 follow. viz my sons at the age of Eighteen years to enjoy their Estate
 Real and Personal and my Daughters at the age of sixteen y^e are:
 Lacey I ordain and appoint my well beloved friend William
 Nock and William Burton to be my overseers to see that my said
 wife & Daughter be maintained for the benefit of my Children as witness
 my hand & seal this 16th day of Dorom 1682
 Signed Sealed and deliv^d Bartholomew means

In Presence of us
 John Warradourne

Susanna Warradourne
 John Warradourne

Dorom 4. 28. 1682

Proved in open Court by 4 Corporate Oathes
 of John Warradourne & John Warradourne
 his said wife and Delam^t of Bartholomew
 means

Recorded January 4. 1682

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To all Christian people to whom this present writing shall come I Edward
 Rector of Pungotege in the County of Accomack Gent. send greeting
 in the Lord God. Overlasting know ye that I the said Edward for divers
 good and valuable causes and considerations me herunto dispo^sed
 have granted promised released and for ever quit claimed and confirmed
 and by this present writing do and my heirs grant unto and for
 ever quit claimed and confirmed unto the said Edward Rector of Pungotege
 and to his heirs for ever in full and peaceable possession
 all the estate right title interest claims and demands whatsoever of the
 said Edward Rector now held over him or wth John my heirs