

pine and white oak standing in Edwardstills line fence one kilo line East and by south fifteen  
pole to corner pine fence north East thirty three poles to a corner pine fence north west west thirty five  
pole to a corner pine fence East thirty three and three quarter degrees North forty six poles to corner  
and white oak parting said field and John Worley fence on further line North Eighty pole to  
corner black oak fence North North East eighteen poles to fence corner pine fence East Eighteen pole  
to corner black oak fence South East and by south forty two poles to a corner black oak of the said  
fence standing on the west side main road fence East North East thirty four poles to the place began  
aforesaid including land Two hundred and seventy seven acres of land both same more or less to have and  
to hold the said said tract of land and promises and with all and every bond or bonds for confirming  
the said tract from any person or persons whatsoever and with all houses orchards all fixtures  
privileges profits & emoluments whatsoever unto the said Will Moseley his heirs and assigns for ever to the only  
proper use & behoof of himself & Will Moseley his heirs & assigns for ever more & that the said Bargained & released  
promises and every part thereof may be had holden possessed enjoyed by the said Will Moseley his heirs  
& assigns and aliqueys and every other person without any disturbance hindrance disturbance interrup-  
tion of the said John Worley his heirs Execut & adm. or for or by any other person or persons claiming  
to claim the premises from or under him them or any of them and his said John Worley & his heirs the  
land and promises hereby granted and released & confirmed in the said William Moseley his heirs  
in manner and form aforesaid against him the said John Worley and his heirs and all other person or persons  
whatsoever lawfully claiming to claim the premises shall and will warrant and for ever defend by  
these presents and lawfully the said John Worley and his heirs shall and will at the cost of the said Will  
Moseley his heirs Execut & adm. from time to time & at any time hereafter within the space  
of twelve years to and execute all such reasonable act and acts thing & things whereby the said Will  
Moseley his heirs or assigns or by his or their Council Learned in the Law shall be reasonably en-  
titled and require for his better assurance and conveyance of the said Land and promises to the said Will  
Moseley his heirs and assigns according to the true intent and meaning of these presents in  
writing whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this seventh day of November 1726.

Witnessed & Delivered in presence of us

Will Prids

Jn. Worley Seal.

John Moseley Junr } Attest. that above and herein of the within Bargained and sold promises  
was made and given by him and being by the within mentioned John Worley to the within  
mentioned William Moseley and his heirs for ever In presence of us.

Jn. Worley .

At a court held for the County November 7. 1726.

In the presence of John Worley who acknowledged his deed with the delivery of Seizin endorsed to be his act and  
done before me upon my admission to record him. Esther wife of the said John (she being  
presently examined & inquisit for right of Adewer in the Land by this Deed consy-  
ing which was also admitted to record.)

Cost. Henry Woodell.

In the Name of God almighty & Johan Hancock of the parish and County of Cheshire being  
by the grace of God turned and memory blessed be God for it do ordain and constitute this my last will  
and testament in manner and form following first I committ my soul unto the hands of  
God almighty & hoping through the meritorious death and passion of our Lord and Saviour Jesus  
Christ to receive free pardon and forgiveness of all my sins and my body to be buried at the discres-  
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tion of my Execution hereafter made. First I will and Desire that my Debts and Funeral Charges botuly paid and Discharged. Item I give to my Daughter Sarah Moseley one Shilling Sterling. Item I give unto my Daughter Mary Hather one Shilling Sterling. Item I give unto my Daughter Ichabod Hancock one Shilling Sterling. Item I give unto my son Robert Hancock one Shilling Sterling. Item I give unto my Daughter Phoebe Baily my Riding horse and Sidesaddle and my black suit of Cloths. Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Hancock my Negro Girl Matt with her increase to her and her heirs for ever during her life and after her death her increase to be Equally Divided amongst the Children she shall then have that are lawfully begotten of her body and all the rest of my worldly Estate. I likewise order and constitute my said Daughter Elizabeth Hancock my full and sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament making void all other wills and Testaments by me heretofore made witness my hand and seal this 22. Day of July 1726.

Signed sealed and delivered.

In draft of

Mary <sup>W<sup>th</sup></sup> E. Elam  
Mary <sup>W<sup>th</sup></sup> Dudley }  
Arthur Moseley Junr.

Ichabod Hancock Seal

At a court held for Kent County Nov. 7. 1726.  
This will was proved by the oaths of Mary Dudley and Mary Elam, and Arthur Moseley Junr. made oath that he wrote the same that he subscribed it as a witness, that he does not commonly witness papers unless he doth them execute, but that he doth not remember that he saw Ichabod Hancock sign & seal this will, and the same is therupon admitted to record.

Cst. Henry Wood, M<sup>r</sup>.

This Indenture made the thirteenth day of July in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and twenty six and in the twelfth year of the reign of our sovereign Lord George by the grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the faith &c. Between William Morinshor of the parish of Saint Peter in the County of New Kent Gent. of the one part and Robert Lewis of the same parish and County Gent. of the other part witnesseth that the said William Morinshor and in consideration of the sum of two shillings Sterling to him in hand paid by the said Robert Lewis at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and thereof and of every part and parcel thereof doth hereby atquit execrate and discharges the said Robert Lewis his Executors and Administrators hath granted bargained and sold and by these presents doth grant bargain and sell unto the said Robert Lewis his heirs Executors Administrators and assigns all that one certain tract or parcel of land containing six hundred and seventy acres lying and being on the north side James River in the County of Kent bounded as followeth first beginning at a live oak two birches and one Spanish Oak standing on the south side of the west branch of Beaverdam Creek thence into the Woods west thirty degrees north one hundred sixty one poles to five corner black oaks and one white oak thence north eight Degrees East two hundred and twenty three poles to a corner Hickory thence North thirty three Degrees west one hundred and nine poles to two corner black oaks thence North nine Degrees East two hundred eighty one poles to a corner Spanish oak thence East nine Degrees North one hundred forty six poles to several corner plumb trees standing on the Branch began entwines down the Branch according to the measures dictated and forty poles to the place began at, with all houses out houses barns stables Cobage houses

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