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and mind he made a Will thereby setting free
Nineteen Negroes and leaving to them all his Substance
Except a mere trifle and appointed James Mafsey the
Elder and John Hadley the Elder Executors of the said
Will as by Reference being had to the said Will (to
which this Libellant gives leave to Refer) may more
fully and at large appear and your Libellant further
Sheweth unto your honour that the said Executors
Proved the said Will before your honour & Obtained
Letters Testamentary thereon before your Libellant -
could enter a caveat against the same though your
Libellant with as much Expedition as she could use did
set off to pursue her Journey to Annapolis in order to
procure a caveat as aforesaid to be entered but the said Exec.
hearing of or suspecting her Intention having traveled
a Night prevented the executing of this her design
In Tender Consideration whereof and for as much as
this is a Matter properly Cognizable and Deceivable in
this honourable Court to the End therefore that the
John Mafsey the Elder and John Hadley the Elder upon
their respective personal Oaths may true and Perfect
Answer make to all and singular the Premises as
fully as if the same were herein again Interrogated
and Repeated to the best of their respective Remembrance
Knowledge and belief and that in Particular the said
John Mafsey and John Hadley may answer and set
forth whether the said John Gibb was of sound and
disposing Mind Memory and understanding at
the time of his making and Publishing the Will