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Mary and her heirs for ever my half of the Land Whitehaven About Seven hundred and
Sixty Acres in partnership with Thomas Addison as also my half of the Land Called Carleton
About One hundred and eighty Acres as also my half of the Land Called Friendship in part-
nership with the said Addison About Eight hundred and fifty Acres and One Tract Called the
Bridghead About One hundred and fifty Acres and two things of the said Land Called Saturdays work
and One Tract Called Speddwell adjoining therunto both on Rowson's branch together
with the Land Called Crick Forge About One hundred and eighty Acres together with
my half of the Mill that stands thereon and my half of land called thirty two Acres
in all (the which Mary is since Intermarried with John Abington likewise One of the aforesaid
Petitioners) I give and Devise unto my Son William the Land Called Rotterdam five
hundred and fifty Acres and the Indian Town Six hundred Acres on Nanjomy Creek as also my
part of Wholes purchase bought of John Middleton and Hilary Ball and the land Joynt
Interest Joyning thereon lying on the South Side of Pamunkey Creek to him and his heirs
for ever I give and Devise to my Daughter Elizabeth all the Land in Pamunkey Neck (viz
Wholes Adventure About Seventy Six Acres the Plains about two hundred and fifty Acres
Crick about four hundred and eighty Acres as also the Nicory Hills four hundred and twenty
One Acres as also the Hoggson Joyning thereto about two hundred and twenty Acres and
Another Tract on the North End thereof Joyning to the said Nicory Hills and the Land of
Joshua Marshall About One hundred and eighty Acres as also my half of two hundred and
twenty Acres Called Friendship in partnership with John Brook on Mattawoman to her
and her heirs for ever (the which Elizabeth is since married with William Bils One
of the aforesaid Petitioners) And further the aforesaid Petitioners having also set
forth in their Petition that in the next succeeding Paragraph of the aforesaid will
the Deceased William Hutcheson having by his said will Settled upon his Son John
all his Estates lying in North Brittain made a Provision to Bar his said Son John
from having any Interest in any of his aforesaid Lands which any of his Children
to whom they are Devised were living. The Tenour of which Paragraph follows in
these words - And my will is that if any of my three Daughters die without lawful
Issue that the lands hereby given them or to my Son William if he die without Issue
shall be Equally Divided Among the three Surviving. And if two dye to the other
two living And if three Dye all to the other And that my Son John have no In-
terest in any of my Lands in Maryland except they all four Dye without Issue
I mean such Lands as are herein Devised as by the said will hereunto being thereto led
may more fully and at large appear. And the Petitioners likewise in their said
Petition having set forth that they have been advised that the before recited Paragraph
of the Deceased's will may be understood to amount to an Entails upon all the Lands
Devised as above to the Petitioners which they truly believe was never so Intended by the
Deceased which they Alledge in their said Petition may be very well gathered from the
Several Devises themselves to the Petitioners being all to them and their heirs for ever
and not Only so but it being contrary to the Intent and Inclination of the Deceased's mind
the Intailing of ^{any} Land which he has frequently Expressed in words when in Conversation
with his friends And forasmuch as the said Gabriel Barber and Anne his wife John
Abington and Mary his wife William Hutcheson William Bils and Elizabeth his wife
have made their several Allegations mentioned as aforesaid sufficiently appear to this
Generall Assembly by undoubted Testimony And that as the said Petitioners by their said
Petition have Prayed an Act may Pass for their relief in the Premises aforesaid It