

126 and seal this 19th day of February 1765

Signed Sealed

in presence of

Bery^{us} Simmons
William^{us} Hellam
Arrey^{us} Foster
mark

Arthur^{us} Fock
mark

At a Court held for the county of Southampton the 11th day of April 1765.

This will was presented in court by Joshua Fock one of the executors Herein named proved by the oaths of Benjamin Simmons and William Hellam two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded And on the Motion of the said executor who made oath according to an certificate is giving security for

Arthur Fock

In: William
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In the name of god amen this twenty fifth day of February one thousand seven hundred and sixty five I John Gilliam of the county of Southampton and parish of Saint Luke gent being in perfect mind and memory thanks to almighty god for the same therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and testament that is to say principally and first of all I recommend my soul to almighty god that gave it and my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent christian manner at the discretion of my executors hereafter mentioned nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall revive. For as much again of the mighty power of god and as trusting such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased almighty god to bless me with in this life I give demise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form

Impurms I leave the use of my plantation I live on with all the stock viz cattle hogs sheep horses and all my household goods and the use of ten negroes viz Jiffery Gammy, Thomas Will, Bick, Jack, Lewis, Ned, Amy & Pat during her widowhood or manhood

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