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In the name of God Amen the Tenth day of february Anno dom[ini] 1604 And in the Seconde yere of the Raigne of our Sou[er]aigne Lord James By the Grac[e] of God Kinge of England, Scotland, France, & Irelande Defender of the faithe etc And in the eight and Thurtethe yere of his Raigne in Scotlande

I william Stere of Ockley in the Countie of Surry yoman being sick in Bodye neu[er]theles in p[er]fect Remembrance thannckes be to Almightey God I doe ordayne, make and declare, this my last will and Testamente in manner and forme Followinge, that is to say

First I Commend my Soule to my only Saviour, maker, and Redemer trustinge in him and throughe him only to be saved. And my Bodye to be Buried in the Church yeard of Ockleye aforsaid

It[e]m I Give and Bequethe vnto Thomas Stere my Sonn Twentey Shillinges of lawfull mony of Englande to be paid vnto him w[i]thin one whole yere next after my decease

It[e]m I Give and Bequethe vnto william Stere my Sonn Eight pownds of Lawfull mony of Englande to be paid vnto him w[i]thin one yere after my decease viz Fower pownds to be paid w[i]thin half a yere And the other Fower pownds at the end of the said yere next after my decease

It[e]m I Give and Bequethe vnto Edmund Stere my Sonne Eight pounds of lawfull mony of England to be paid vnto him w[i]thin three yeres after my decease

It[e]m I Bequethe vnto Jhon Stere my daughter Tenn pounds of lawfull mony of England to be paid vnto her w[i]thin one yere after my decease

It[e]m I Give and Bequethe vnto John Stere my sonne Twentey Pounds of lawfull mony of England to be paid in mann[er] & forme following viz Tenn pounds when he shall accomplishe the Age of one & Twentey yeres, And the other Tenn Pounds when he shalbe of the Full Age of fower & twentey yeres

It[e]m I Bequethe vnto Jhone Stere my daughter the younger Twelve pounds of lawfull mony of England to be paid vnto her when she shall Accompleshe the Age of Twentey yeres

It[e]m I Bequethe vnto Agnes Stere my daughter Twelve Pounds of lawfull mony of England to be paid vnto her when she shalbe of the Age of Twentey yeres

It[e]m I bequethe vnto Richard Stere my Sonne Twelve pounds of lawfull mony of England to be paid vnto him when he shall accompleshe the Age of Two and Twenty yeres And I Give vnto him One Fetherbeed w[i]th all that doth belonge

It[e]m I Give and Bequethe vnto Elizabeth Stere my daughter Twelve pounds of Lawfull mony of England top be paid vnto her when she shall accompleshe the Age of Twenty yeres

It[e]m I Bequethe vnto Sara Stere my daughter Twelve pounds of lawfull mony of England to be paid vnto her when she shall accompleshe the Age of Twentey yeres

Alwaies Provided that yf it shall please God to call his mercye any of my Children aboue menc[i]oned out of this sinfull world befor the day or dayes of the payment of the said seu[er]all Sume or Sumes of mony by me Bequethed or befor they or any one of them shall Accompleshe their seu[er]all Ages as aforsaid That then my very will and mynd is That the porcione or porciones of them or any one of them so deceasinge to Remayne to them that shalbe lyvinge to be equally devided amonge them when they or any of them shalbe of full Age as aforsaid

All w[hi]ch said legaces so by be Given and Bequethed to be paid by my Executrex herevnder named

The Residue of All my Goodes, Cattell and Chattell[es] whatsoeu[er] after my deptes paid and my Bodie Cumly Buried I Give and Bequethe vnto Jhone Stere my welbeloved wyfe whome I make wholle Executrex of this my last will and Testament And she to take my deptes pay my deptes and to see this my last will and Testament fulfilled and performed in all poyntes as my trust is in her so to doe According to the trew intent and meaning hereof w[hi]ch I do vnto her for the Great trust I hav in her towards the Trayninge and mayntayninge vpp of my said Children in the feare of Gode

Yet newtheles provided That yf Jhon Stere my wyfe be so dissposed to Contract in Matrimonye w[i]th any man befor all the said seu[er]all legaces by me Given bee paid According to the trew meaninge of this my Last Testament That then my very mynd is that the said Jhone my wyf so Contractinge shall before the said tyme of Mariage Pay or Devide or kause to be paid or devided vnto my Ou[er]seeres herevnder named All such legaces w[hi]ch ar not paid & discharged or so much Good as shalbe thought worthe ^by my ou[er]seeres^ the value theirof And they to have the Goverment of the said Stocks to be imployed to the most Benifett and advantage of any Children to whome it doth or may app[er]tayne

Also I ordaine and mak John Stere the Elder, Raph Buxe John Constable and Richard Margesson my welbelowed frindes Ou[er]seers of this my last will and Testamente to see this my mynd and meaning to be fulfilled accordinge to the meaning hereof as my trust is in them so to doe And they to be paid for all Costs expences & chardges that they or any of them shall or may Susteyne in that behalf in anywise And so O lord into they protection I Com[m]end my Soule

In witness wherof I hav sette my hand in p[er]fect Reme[m]braunce the Day and yere First aboue wryton In the presenc of Richard Margesson James Chelsam w[i]th others

the m[ar]ke of William Stere

Richard Margesson

James Chelsams m[ar]ke

*[Latin*: probate 17th May 1605]

The treue Inuentorye Indented mad the Eight day of Aprill Ann[o] dom[ini] 1605 In the Thyrd yere of the Raigne of our Noble Lord James By the grac[e] of God King of England, Scotland, France and Ireland Defender of the faith And in the Eight and Thurteth yere of his Raigne of Scotland of All the goods and Cattell of william Stere of Ockley in the Countie of Surry yoman deceased mad and praysed by John Stere, Raphe Daxe, william Hannfry and others in mann[er] & forme as followeth

Imprymis of Mony in his Purse xs

It[e]m his Apparrell xxs

It[e]m in the house thre Quarteres of Otts xxiiijs

It[e]m Eight Bushelles of Rye xvjs

It[e]m one fetherBeed w[i]th all that doth Belonge to the same Beed xls

It[e]m One Flock Beed w[i]th necessaryes Belonginge xxvjs viijd

It[e]m Thre Chafe Beeds w[i]th furnitur belonginge to the same Beeds xls

It[e]m fiftenn Pair of Shettes vjli xiijs iiijd

It[e]m thre Table Clothes xs

It[e]m nyne Table Napkinnes viijs

It[e]m Six Pillow Bagges xiijs iiijd

It[e]m Thurtey Pounds of Hemp & flex Tyre *[flax Tare?]* xxvjs viijd

It[e]m Tenn Eles of new Lynnen Clothe xs

It[e]m thre Gallonnes of Hony xs

It[e]m Thre Cheastes xiijs iiijd

It[e]m in the Buttery fower virkinnes iiijs one pouderring trough ijs vjd

a Short Table one Buttertube two kinnettes *[kimnelles]* xjs vjd

It[e]m in the Mylck house lx pounds of grease and flattes *[?]* xvs

one great Bowle ijs sextenn small mylck vessell vs iiijd two Shales

*[shauls – wooden shovel without handle?]*xvjd A Chest prese w[i]th

Lanches *[latches?]* shillves & small hopps *[hoops or moulds]*  xxxiijs viijd

It[e]m in the kitchene one vatte & fower other Tubbs xs one kneading

trough & a Buntingehuch vs one Brase potte xs fower kittells xxs

Sevenn Sacks fower Bucketts lvijs

It[em] in the kitchene Loft two quarters of Otten Mault xxs

one oste *[?]* Hare sevenn flitches of Bacon iijli vs iiijd

It[em] in the Hall one Cubberd one Table, one frame two Chares,

two Stooles one Cradell & a Bouche xxvjs iiijd

It[e]m Twelve Pewter platters & Six pewter dishes xxs fower

Candelstickes iiijs one smale morter xxxs

It[e]m One Chaffing dishe xijd two Saultes xijd

thre dussen of Sponnes & thre dussen of tranchers iijs vjd fower

porringers xxd Six woodden platters vijd twelve dishes xijd ixs ijd

It[e]m Two Brandirons, two paire of pothangers one paire of fyre

tongs vs viijd two fryeng pannes ijs two Spittes, two pair of Pothoks

one pair of billowes and a Gridiron vs one Skimmer, one Ladell,

a fleshe hoke vijd one Clew *[Cleaver?]* two Chopping knives xvjd thre

wedges ijs viijd thre Billes two Axces one kipaxe *[pickaxe?]*

fower Augers, two Chessettes *[Chisels?]* & other Instrum[en]tes xxxjs

It[e]m Sixtenne pounde of Chease ijs viijd

It[e]m fower Hogges xls

It[e]m the wheat in the Barne xxxiijs

It[e]m the Ottes & Straw in the Barne xxxs

It[e]m the Hea xxvjs

It[e]m Eight Kyne praysed Att xvjli

It[e]m thre Twelve monthinge Bullocks ls

It[e]m Twentey Sheep vli

It[e]m One Mare xls

It[e]m fower small Oxen, one Stere & a Bull xiijli xs

It[e]m five Acres of wheat & Rye vppon the ground vjli xiijs iiijd

It[e]m twelve Acres of Ottes on the ground vjli xijs iiijd

It[e]m two pair of whelles, one weane two Dungcortes

and A Carte xls

It[e]m Two plougehs w[i]th Culters & Shares Chaynes, yoks

& other Instrumentes belonginge xxs

It[e]m One Ladell & a Pannell, w[i]th girth & koppe *[crupper]* xiijs iiijd

It[e]m thre Lynnen whelles & a wollen whell iiijs

It[e]m eight Henes iijs

Sum total xcvli xjxs

Debts owing by John Stere xcijli