

Wife & sonne Israel joint Executo^r, John Winthrop Sen^r, Mr. Thomas Dudley, Sen^r, Mr. Richard Saltonstall & Mr. Increase Nowell, & also my deere brother Mr. W^m Knight, Mr. Thomas Stoughton, Mr. Thomas Clarke, Mr. David Yale overseers this seventeenth of July, 1644, in London.

ISRAEL STOUGHTON.

Concerning my deere mother — not to be abridged of her twenty pounds per ann during her life, in regard to the cattle I had of hers, though they proved of little worth to me. Also to dwell in the house with my wife, during her pleasure, and any other comfortable accommodation my estate may reach vnto. If God take my wife before mee, or before this will be settled, or the estate of things altered by my wife, then I in her steed do ordaine my deere brother Mr. Tho: Clarke, & my loveing friends Mr. Thomas Jones of Dorchester, & Mr. Edward Johnson of Roxbury as overseers in speciall — & to haue twenty pounds each, & my brother Clarke to have over and aboue that, as much as his services meritt, being judged of by the gentlemen before mentioned. The same day and time aforementioned.

ISRAEL STOUGHTON.