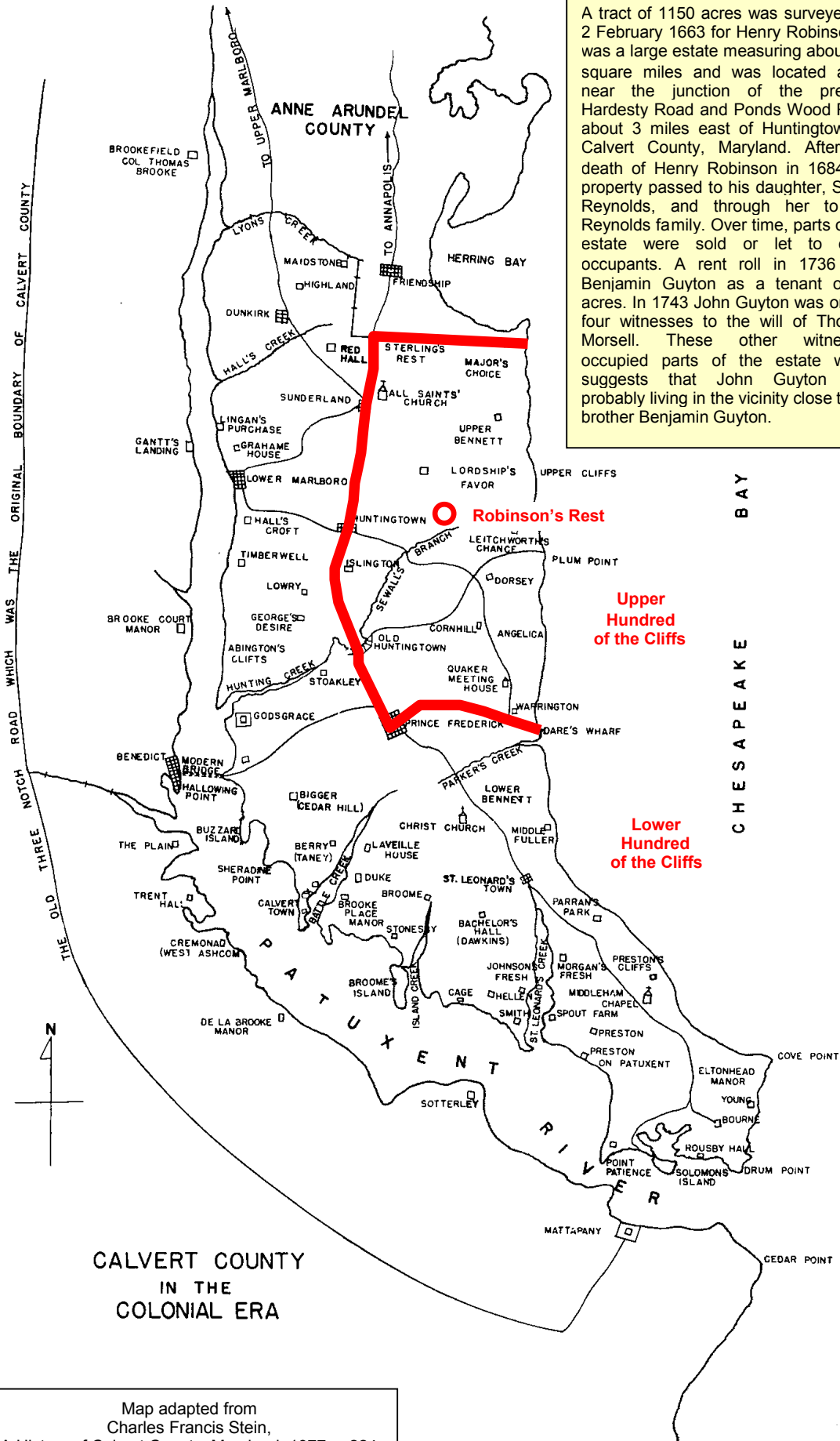


### Robinson's Rest

A tract of 1150 acres was surveyed on 2 February 1663 for Henry Robinson. It was a large estate measuring about 1.3 square miles and was located at or near the junction of the present Hardesty Road and Ponds Wood Road about 3 miles east of Huntingtown in Calvert County, Maryland. After the death of Henry Robinson in 1684 the property passed to his daughter, Sarah Reynolds, and through her to the Reynolds family. Over time, parts of the estate were sold or let to other occupants. A rent roll in 1736 lists Benjamin Guyton as a tenant of 50 acres. In 1743 John Guyton was one of four witnesses to the will of Thomas Morsell. These other witnesses occupied parts of the estate which suggests that John Guyton was probably living in the vicinity close to his brother Benjamin Guyton.



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