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Mary Smith

1 May 1790

To Negro man Phillip - that he shall be a free man to work for himself and not to serve any other person.

Also one gray horse. That Phillip should tend the crop and save that now planted and have one fourth part of all the corn and fodder

To Job Smith - 40 shillings

To grandson Robert Hill - a note for 8 pounds which Thomas Holdson owes to me

To grandson Nathan Young - young black horse and a pair of silver shoe buckles

To granddaughter Mary Townsend - 6 silver teaspoons

To granddaughter Mary Young Marvel - bed, bedstead, two sheets, green rug, white counterpane

To son John Young - yoke of oxen, all the cider casks and other fish or meat casks and all my right to all the carpenter tools

To daughter Sarah Davis - 1/6 part of my wearing apparel and 7 shillings and 6 pence and no more

To daughter Rachel Man - 1/6 part of my wearing apparel and 7 shillings and 6 pence and 6 bushels of corn

To daughter in law Anna Young - 1/6 part of my wearing apparel

To daughters Betty Hayes, Mary Millard, Phebe Lofland - rest of wearing apparel

To son John Young, daughter Mary Millard, daughter Betty Hayes, daughter Phebe Lofland, grandson

Nathan Hill, grandson Robert Hill, granddaughter Betty Hill - remainder of estate

Witness: Joshua Bennett, John Hickman, Joshua Lofland

12 May 1790 Then came

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John Richards, yeoman

9 February 1790

To son William Richards - a tract called John's Venture containing 433 acres being whereon he now lives. If William dies without lawful heir, then the land to be sold and the money divided among my living children with an equal share to the three children of my son Henry and an equal share to the children of my daughter Nanny and an equal share to the children of my daughter Mary

To Sarah Richards, Nanny Richards, Margaret Richards (children of my son Henry) - a tract called Richards Grove containing 126 acres. Also a tract called Flowers Lot containing 50 acres. The land to be rented out and the money paid to them on day of marriage or when of age

That the remaining part of Poplar Level (which has not been made over to my son David) be sold. Also a tract called Turkey Ridge containing 50 acres together with a ground warrant containing 100 acres. Also Pesimon Bottom containing 50 acres and a resurvey called Smiths Lot containing 100 acres. Also a tract called Fox's Harbour containing 30 acres. The whole to be sold to any one, two or three of my surviving heirs and the money from the sale be divided among my children William Richards, David Richards, Jean Adams, Elizabeth Bradley and the children of my son Henry and the children of daughter Nanny and the children of daughter Mary

To Elizabeth and Mary Adams (children of my daughter Jane Adams) - 50 pounds

To grandchildren Elizabeth Adams, Mary Adams, Anna Adams, Rebecca Adams, Sarah Adams, John Adams - Negro man Saul, Negro girl Anniss. That my son-in-law Elijah Adams shall keep the aforesaid Negroes to work and raise the aforesaid grandchildren

To grandson John Bradley (son of Joseph) - Negro boy named Billsey now in the possession of Joseph Bradley which I swapped a Negro boy named Joshua for. If grandson John dies without heir the said Negro boy to John's sisters Anna Bradley and Mary Bradley

Executor: son David

Witness: William Ross, Levin Hickman, John Wood

13 May 1790 Then came