

my Negro Woman called Joan together with her future increase and provided he will take care of and provide such necessaries as is needfull for Joans Child called Peg Six years from this time then I give him the said Joseph my Negro man named James to satisfye him for his trouble and expence but on his refusing or neglecting to comply with the above terms then I desire my said Negro James shall be sold by my Executors and what money is got for him to be divided in the same manner as what I shall order in this my Will to be sold and the money to be divided in the same manner as what I shall order in this my Will to be sold and the money is got I shall give to my said Son Joseph one feather bed & furniture & head of Cattle (3 of which is in his possession) one Sow and Pigs one Iron pot 2 pewter dishes 10^o Bason 4^o Plates my Gray Mare 100^o & 10^o Tobacco being part of my last years Crop now in my Barnes and 10^o Cash I likewise give to my said Son Joseph Turner the remainder part of my Wolf pond hack of land after my Son William has taken his part as above to him the said Joseph and to his heirs for ever -

Item I give and bequeath to my Son David Sumner my Negro Man called Robbin and my Negro girl called Peg one feather bed and furniture & head of Cattle 1 Iron pot 2 pewter dishes 10^o Bason 4^o Plates my large Horse called Bob 100^o & 10^o of my last years crop and now in my Barnes and 10^o Cash likewise I give and bequeath to my said Son David Sumner all my manner of land and plantation land which I now live that is to say the land my father gave me together with a hack of land adjoining the same and Adam Johnson to the said David Sumner and to his heirs for ever

Item I give my Son Jacob Sumner 10^o Cash

Item I desire all the remainder part of my estate to be sold to the highest bidder and the money arising from the sale thereof together with what Cash I have to be equally divided betwixt my Children hereafter mentioned (to Wit) Jesse Sumner Selah alcock Mary Sumner William Sumner Charlotte Claud Eliza Cum Amas Sumner and John Sumner

Item I do constitute and appoint my friend Joshua Nicholson my whole and sole Executor of this my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this 28th day of January 1774

Signed sealed published and declared by the said John Sumner as his last Will and Testament, in presence of:
 Joshua Nicholson
 Isaac Sharis
 Adam Johnson
 Mark
 Isaac Sharis
 Mark
 Hanis Johnson

A Court held for the County of Southampton 14th April 1774
 This Will was presented in Court Joshua Nicholson Esq^r therein named and proved by the Oaths of Adam Johnson and Isaac Sharis two of the Witnesses thereto and order'd to be recorded and on the Motion of the said Esq^r who made Oath according to Law Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probat of the same giving Security Wth Kells