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John
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will

In the Name of God amen I John Pong being of sound mind and perfect memory, do make and ordain this, as and for my last will and Testament, in manner and form following, revoking and annulling all former or other wills heretofore made by me. First I give unto my beloved wife Selah Pong my young house, two cows and calves, two ewes and lambs, one sow and pigs, to her and her heirs forever —

Second I leave unto my beloved wife during her natural life or widowhood the use of my plantation with 150. Acres of my Land divided as follows; from a black oak in Morrissey lines as direct lines through my old field to a red oak below my mill (a marked tree) with the use of my still, Grist mill, apple mill, and all my cyper vessels and staves. I also leave unto my beloved wife my Corner beaufet with all my crockery ware, China and glass ware —

Third after the death or Intermarriage of my wife, I give and bequeath all the property with my land, mill still, apple mill &c as left unto her, to my four daughters namely Sally, Rebecca, Tempy Ann and Betsey, jointly to them and their heirs forever — Fourth I give unto my four daughters each of them Sally, Rebecca, Tempy Ann and Betsey one Bee Stear, bed and furniture complete to them and each of their heirs forever, it is my will that they each shall have a Bee Beestear &c —

Fifth. It is my will that the property which I have devised to my four daughters shall be accounted for by them in the settlement of my Estate at the rate of five hundred Dollars free and clear of Interest —

Sixth I give and bequeath unto my son Richard Pong the remainder of my Land by estimation one hundred and fifty acres bounded by the rocky Branch on the north and by the established line through my old field to him and his heirs forever, but it is my will that he shall account in the settlement of my Estate for the same at the value of three hundred Dollars —

Seventh I give and bequeath unto the heirs of my deceased son Stephenson Pong Collectively one eighth parts of my estate not herein before devised or bequeathed, to be equally divided among them and to be paid them and each of their dividers of the said eighth parts by my Executors as they shall arrive of age, to them and their heirs forever —

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