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At a Court held for Franklin County at the Courthouse the 10th day of November 1820. This Account Current of John McMillan Executor of the Estate of John Ashworth Deceased, was returned and ordered to be Recorded.

Teste (Sgt. Tute to H. H. H.)

Pardue
Happay
Dower Co.
Ex.

Agreeable to an order of a Court the County Court of Franklin bearing date the 10th day of August 1820 to us directed, we have laid off, and assigned to Happay Pardue, Widow and Relict of Daniel Pardue Deceased one third of the Land, which the said Daniel Pardue Died in possession of, which said Dower contains _____ Acres of Land and bounded as follows to wit, Beginning at a poplar on a branch in Meshack Pardue, line thence south 70 East 16 poles to a hickory North 73 East 28 poles to a Red Oak, North 30 poles to a hickory on the said branch, thence down the same as it meanders to the River, thence up the same as it meanders to Meshack Pardue line thence thence with various courses thereof to the beginning. Given under our hands this 7th day of Sept 1820.

Charles Sumner
John Arthur
Moses Greer Jr

At a Court held for Franklin County at the Courthouse the 10th day of November 1820. This assignment of Dower to Happay Pardue Widow and Relict of Daniel Pardue Deceased in the Land of her husband was returned and ordered to be Recorded.

Teste (Sgt. Tute to H. H. H.)

Richardson
Anney
Will Co.
Ex.

J. Nancy Richardson of Franklin County and State of Virginia, do hereby make my last Will and Testament in the manner and form following that is to say: First I desire that all of the perishable part of my Estate be immediately sold after my death or so much thereof as will pay all of my Debts and funeral expences, and if any left ^{to be left} as I shall direct here after, Secondly I Give to my Mother Phanny Richardson all of my perishable property that is left after paying all of my just debts and funeral expences, also the Tract of Land, which I now live on, to be left entirely at her own disposal as long as she lives and after death to Will and dispose of the Land and property as she thinks proper. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10th day of November 1820.

April 1820.

Nancy Richardson
mark

Died

Witness

George Menefee

Robert ^{his} MartinSally ^{his} Johnson

At a Court held for Franklin County at the Courtroom the 6th day of November 1820. This Last Will and Testament of Nancy Richardson Deceased, was produced in Court, and proved by the oath of George Menefee and Robert Martin, two of the witnesses hereto, and ordered to be Recorded. Teste Jaleb Fite, C. H. F.

Edds
John
Willie
Edd.

In the name of God Amen, I John Edds of Franklin County & Commonwealth of Virginia being weak in body, but of perfect sense & sound memory, do make my last Will & Testament, my Will & desire is that my just debt be paid, then what worldly goods, it hath been please God to bless me with, I here distribute in manner & form following. First of all I will my soul to God that gave it, I also give & bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Edds my Land & Plantation during her life or widowhood. Also a Negro girl that is call young Lucy, during the same & after the death of my beloved wife Mary Edds the Plantation Land Negro Lucy & Increase is to be sold & equally divided with all my sons and Daughters one one them I wish a reduction ~~in value of part of what~~ I have already, give into a part of my sons & Daughters which will or may be found in my Papers after my Death, I also bequeath unto my beloved wife my House hold & belongings for term together with the stock during the time above mentioned and then to be sold and equally divided with my children. I also give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Mary Edds my Negro man Bob & Negro woman Jane during her life or widowhood, then sold & equally divided with my children. I also give unto my Daughter Lucinda Edds one half named my Daughter.