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 Henry County 3
 and Memory & knowing that it is allotted for all men on earth to die do make & ordain this my last will & Testament breaking all former Wills what ever
 1st I recommend my soul into the hands of almighty God who gave it me & my body when it shall please God to call me to be buried in a decent Burial manner by my Executors
 2d As it has pleased God to Bless me with worldly affairs I desire that all my Just debts shall be paid out of my Estate first 3d for the love & affection I bear to words my beloved Wife Catharine Smith I Give & bequeath the lot of land that I now live on viz) No. one hundred & Twenty Two in the Second Dist of Henry County & one Mare named Snips & one Horse named Doctor six Cows & Calves of her own Choosing out of my stock of Cattle one Negro woman by the name of Nemy & her two children by the name of Emeline & the other Paddy & a Negro man named Joe I Give her 20 head of Hogs of her own Choosing & all the house hold & Kitchen furniture & plantation Tools & ten head of sheep of her own Choosing & fifteen head of Geese I Give her all the above named property during her lifetime or we ever hood & if she should marry again I Give her an equal share of the same with my legal heirs & all the best of my property that is not herein enumerated I desire to be sold as my Executors may think most Advantage & after all my Just debts is paid out of the same I wish the remainder to be equally divided among my legal heirs as they become of age or marry & at the death or Marriage of my beloved wife I wish all the property she may then have to be debt with & distributed in the same manner as her before named if she dies a widow & all her legal share if she should marry - I Give to my beloved wife the privilege of choosing fifteen acres of land out of lot 1 one hundred & thirty five when she may think best I also Give to my much respected Mother during her lifetime one hundred acres of land off of lot one hundred & thirty six including the place where she now lives
 I Give my Brother Joseph Smith the privilege of using 2 Acres & 1/4 or three acres of land or so much as will extend for enough to Give him the use of the spinning wheel & to have said land a