

On the name of God amen I, Thomas F. Richards
of Franklin County State of Massachusetts being of
sound mind and memory, do hereby bequeath and
do make and publish this my last will & Testament
in manner & form following (that is to say, First, I
bequeath to my sister Polly Richards the tract of Land
whence I now live & six negroes, named Sam,
Lizzy, Amy; Hinton, Lucy & Hannah together with all
my stock of every description during her life time.
and after her death I give to my nephew John W.
Woodworth Five Hundred Dollars, to be raised out
of the Estate and the Balance of which Estate I give &
bequeath to the bodily heirs of my five sisters (ie)
Frances Cook who is now dead, Martha Brown, Rebecca
Heflin, Mary Blackwell and Sally ~~Richards~~ Conger
to be equally divided between said heirs with this exception
that I give & bequeath to my nephew, Thomas, Downer &
Thomas Conger, one Horse a piece worth Seventy-five
Dollars, more than the rest of said heirs, formerly —
Lastly, I do appoint my sister Polly Richards, Executrix
of this my last will & Testament hereby revoking
all former Wills by me made. In witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 11th day of
December 1830 —

Thos. F. Richards

Witness
Richard C. Williamson, Junr.
Edw. B. Winthrop

Franklin County June 21st 1830

I hereby certify that the foregoing
will was exhibited in open Court for record
& the execution thereof duly proven by the oath
of R. C. Williams one of the depts, entering a copy
hereof and procuring proper order & to
be Recorded filed

J. T. Spallum CLK