unto my Estate, Item, I give and bequeath to my well and beloved son
Daniel Hudson to him his heirs or assigns one tract of land called Poplar
Ridge which I formerly bought of Mr. John Howell containing two hundred
acres. Item I give and bequeath to my loving Daughter Sarah Hudson
six head of Cattle which were called her own being at my Dwelling plan-
tation which Cattle are four Cows one two year old Heffer, one two year old
Steer, and one spinning Linen wheel and one pewter Dish and one
Tankard and one tall Seller and one Candlestick, Item I give and bequeath
to my son Jonathan Hudson two hundred and twenty acres of land being
part of a tract of land containing four hundred and forty acres called
mentmore which I now dwell on which part is to the lower part of
the said tract next to the water with my dwelling plantation which
I give to my son Jonathan his heirs of his body lawfully begotten and
for want of such heirs of his said land to the proper Right and Estate
of my son John Hudson his heirs or assigns Item I give and bequeath to
my son John Hudson the remaining part of the aforesaid tract of land
called mentmore to him and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten, and
for want of such heirs the aforesaid Land to the proper right and Estate
of my son Jonathan Hudson, I also order and will that cash belong
to the Land which in this will given to my son Jonathan be Equally between
him and his brother John provided the said John shall at all times be at
half Charge of fencing the same and the necessary repair about the same
further my will is that although it be mentioned in giving the aforesaid tract
of land called mentmore to the heirs of my two sons body lawfully begotten
yet if either of my two sons Jonathan or John dyeth without issue of either
part to the other the said Deed shall be sufficient against the said × survivor
Item I give and bequeath the remaining part of my Estate in what sort or
kind soever it to be my loving wife ~~[illegible]~~ four Children, Jonathan, John,
Elizabeth, and Rachell Hudson ye Said Estate to remain in the possession
of my loving wife untill Death or marriage which first happeneth
unless any of my four Children aforesaid should Marry then and at that
time of any such marriage to be paid one equal fifth part of my Estate
here given to my loving wife and four Children which is to be paid by
my loving wife Linda Hudson whom I make my sole Executrix
further I appoint my son Henry Hudson, Richard Hudson and
Thomas Pennell overseers of this my last will and Testament Witness

my hand and seal this day and year above written, signed sealed and delivered
in presence of us. Cornelius Jones the mark, Annanias R Ingram the mark, Thomas Pennell
Orphans Court after the said will was thus endorsed. Henry his H mark Hudson

Somerset County s. memorandum that this day vizt the 23^d of May 1789 came
before me Cornelius Jones, Annanias Ingram and Mr Thomas Pennell witnesses
proper persons and made Oath upon the holy Evangelists that they saw the within
Testator signed and seal the within Instrument as his last will and Testament
and that at the time of his so doing he was of sound and perfect mind and memory
to the best of their knowledge as witness my hand the day and year above written.

Saml Hopkins Dep^y Clerk

In Testimony that the aforegoing is a true Copy from the Records of the
late Prerogative Office, the seal thereof is hereto affixed this
30th day of April anno Domini 1792.

Seal

Thos Gassaway Register of Records

True Copy of a transcript of Henry Hudsons will.

Test Sa A Morris Clk Mor Cty Ct

In Testimony that the aforegoing transcript is a true Copy from the
Records of Worcester County and that the following with
Deed and Patent annexed to the Exceptions hereto annexed
are true Copies of the with Deed and Patent referred to
in the said Exceptions I have hereto set my hand and
affixed the seal of the County aforesaid this twenty fourth day
of August anno Domini 1792. Sam A Morris Clk Worcester County Court

Seal of Mor Cty Ct

And the said Annanias Hudson by his said attorney prays that the said
Notes with of scirefacias might issue further said Hampton Hopkins to hear
the Errors assigned in the Record and proceedings aforesaid, and it was given
unto him the same day was given to the said Hampton Hopkins thereof.
At which said second Tuesday in April last, in the year Seventeen hundred
and Eighty seven, came here again the parties aforesaid by their attorneys &c.
and the sheriff of Worcester County to whom the aforegoing writ of scirefacias
was directed came and made return of the same which here follows as
to wit. The State of Maryland to the sheriff of Worcester County greeting
because in the Record and proceedings and also in the Condition of
the Judgment on a plea which was in Worcester County Court of Worcester
held at ~~Worcester~~ Snow hill Town in the county aforesaid before the
Justices of the same County Court between Annanias Hudson plaintiff