

Building Committee to superintend the building of the Mennonite Meeting-house at Germantown in 1770; he also willed fifty dollars to said Society.

ABSTRACT OF THE WILL OF ABRAHAM RITTENHOUSE.

Item.

I give and bequeath to the use of the Mennonite Meeting-house in Germantown the Sum of Fifty dollars to be paid into the hands of the Elders or Deacons thereof in One year after my decease to them or their Successors for the use aforesaid.

Item.—I give and bequeath unto my housekeeper Susan Fason, in consideration of her Faithfulness a Bed, Bedstead and Bedding heretofore in her use and the Sum of fifty dollars.

I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate not herein before willed and bequeathed that is to say all that the Messuage wherein I now dwell with the Grist and Merchant Mill on the waters of the Wissahickon Creek, and all the Plantation tracts, Lot, pieces and parcels, of land unto me belonging Situate Roxborough Township aforesaid, with every of the buildings water rights and Appurtenances unto the Same belonging together with all my personal estate of every description not herein before willed and bequeathed unto my three Sons namely Enoch Rittenhouse, Samuel Rittenhouse, and Jacob Rittenhouse.

Will probated 1815.

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1788.

The inhabitants of Roxborow Township are hereby notified to meet at the house of Nathan Levering the 12 day of January between the hours of 2 and 5 in the afternoon to elect two freeholders to assist in assessing the Said Township for furnishing the quota of this State towards paying the interest of the debts of the United States and for funding and paying the interest of the public debts of this State for the year 1788.

ABRAHAM RITTENHOUSE, Assessor.