1734-1750. Slave Sales and Inventories, Westchester, New York

1734. Advertisement Offering a Slave for Sale

New York Weekly Journal, April 15, 1734

Source: A Teacher's Guide to Understanding the Enslaved World in New York and at Philipsburg Manor (Historic Hudson Valley, Tarrytown, NY, p. 17).

To be Sold, a Young Negro Woman, about 20 year old, she dos all sorts of House work; she can Brew, Bake, boyle soaft Soap, Wash, Iron & Starch; and is a good darey Women she can Card and Spin at the great Wheel, Cotton, Lennen and Wollen, she has another good Property she neither drinks Rum nor smoaks Tobacco, and she is a strong hale healthy Wench. she can Cook pretty well for Rost and Boyld; she can speak no other Language but English; she had the small Pox in *Barbados* when a Child. Enquire of the Printer here of and know the Purchase. N.B. She is well Clothed.

1749. Inventory from the Will of Frederick Philipse II

Source: A Teacher's Guide to Understanding the Enslaved World in New York and at Philipsburg Manor (Historic Hudson Valley, Tarrytown, NY, p. 11).

On the manour of Philipsburgh 12th February 1749

Negros Viz:

Men:	Men not fit for work:	Boys:	Women:
Ceaser	James	Tom abt 9 years old	Susan
Dimond	Charles	Charles 9 Do	Abigal
Sampson	Billy	Sam 8 Do	Massy
Keiser		Dimond 7 Do	Dina
Flip		Hendrick 5 Do	Sue
Tom		Ceaser 2 Do	Betty 3 years old a girl
Venture		Harry 1 & 4 months	
2 Silver Tankards	(In the Garrett) April 19th 1750		
1 Do Mugg	6 flax Spinning wheels		
6 New Silver Spoons	2 Woll Do		
6 old Ditto	1 old gun		
1 Silver Teapott	Some wool & Tow		
6 Silver forks	a Miners pick Ax		
1 Do pepper box	4 Siths & 2 handles		
	a flax Reel		
	a pr of old scales and weig		
	Some old baskets and old		
	a tin Cullender		

1749/1750 (?). Frederick Philipse II, New York Weekly Post-boy.

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To be sold at Public Vendue, at Ten o-clock on Thursday Morning, the 19th Instant, at the House of the late Adolph Philipse, Esq.; deceased, on the Manour of Philipsburg; Four Negro men, vix. a Miller, a Boat-man, and two Farmers; three Negro Women, six Negro Boys, and two Girls; Household Goods, and all the Stock, consisting of 40 odd Head of Cattle, 26 Horses, a number of Sheep and Hogs, and all the Utensils belonging to the said Manour.

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Source: A Teacher's Guide to Understanding the Enslaved World in New York and at Philipsburg Manor (Historic Hudson Valley, Tarrytown, NY, p. 5).

The Upper-Mills on the Manor of Philipsburgh, in the County of Westchester, containing three Pair of Holland Stones under one Roof, with a large Store house adjoining to the same; likewise a good stone dwelling House, four rooms on a Floor, two Stories high, with a good Farm, large Orchard, Barn, Negro-House, and other Out-Houses, with a large Quantity of Salt Meadow, and some fresh, also a Negro Man that understands grinding. Any person inclining to lease the same, by applying to Frederick Philipse, at Philipsburgh, or Mr. Beverly Robinson, Merchant, in New-York, may know the Conditions.

1749. To be sold at Public Vendue

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