

Examination: John Mills and family, 1802.

Essex. The Examination of John Mills now residing in Kirby in the said County of Essex taken the 24th day of December 1802 respecting his legal settlement.

This Examinant on his Oath saith that he was born in the parish of Thorpe in the said County of Essex where his father was a legal settled Inhabitant as he believes That this Examinant always resided in the said parish of Thorpe until the month of November One thousand Eight hundred, when he went to the said parish of Kirby and let himself to Mr. Samuel Dennis Farmer at the wages of half a Guinea per Week, at Which he continued for three Months and at the Expiration of that time the said Samuel Dennis agreed to allow him twelve Shillings per Week and provide him with a house Rent free until Michaelmas following, under which last mentioned hiring he continued until that time and received his said wages Weekly, since which time he has been employed by the said Samuel Dennis as a daily Labourer and has received his wages Weekly, that he has a Wife named Ann and three Children namely: Joseph aged about eight years, Thomas aged about four years and Mary Ann aged about three years all of whom reisde with him in the said parish of Kirby And that he hath done no Act whatsoever whereby to gain a Settlement in any other parish than appears by his Examination.

Before us:

M. Thompson, John Bridges, John Hanson, Thos. Nunn.

The mark of John Mills X

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