

it was, where it was, and what
he said, give his language as near
as you can remember it,

A Yes Father had several conversations
about brother John the last
conversation was about January 1870
he said to me poor John Nancy
do you no what he is going to do
or where he is going, I ~~did not~~
answered him I do not. he said he
had rather he would live with him
than any of my Children,
that he rendered me more satisfaction
& happiness than all of them put together
my answer was John will live here
with you if you would give him
any thing to be his own when I
said him this answer he motioned his
hand down the bottom & said don't
you consider this farm any thing
she answered O yes to them that
had it, ^{some of the family walked to that end of the porch or} & he never said any thing
more we did not have any more
conversation about it, This was the last
conversation I had with him about John
Before this conversation I spoke of he
had had several conversations about
John & told her that he had
intended the home place for him
for a some while he lived and
after his death, he has always
had intended since John had become
grown that he had rather he
would live with him than any other