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Know all men by these presents that I Abner Davidson
of the county of Davidson & State of Tennessee for and in
consideration of the sum of fifty dollars current money of
the United States of America to me well paid,
Do bargain, sell assign and transfer to Robert Craig
of the county of Washington in the State of Virginia
all the right title interest and claims, which I have
acquired to one hundred and fifty acres of Land
by an Entry with the Surveyor of the county of
Washington a copy whereof is certified in the following
words and figures "March ye 22nd 1782. Abner
Davidson claims one hundred and fifty acres of Land
by virtue of a Sales warrant assigned to him by John
Latham lying on the North side of Mockeyson
Ridge against the head of a branch called Robbs
branch which runs into Mockeyson creek and
running down both sides of ^{Copper} Creek for quantity
a copy toke Robert Preston S.W.C. And for
the purpose of vesting in the said Robert Craig an
undefeasible estate of inheritance in fee simple in
the said tract of One hundred and fifty acres
of Land I do hereby constitute and appoint the
said Robert Craig my irrevocable Attorney with
full power and authority in my name but for his
own benefit and advantage to proceed without delay
to have the said entry surveyed according to Law
and to demand and receive from the Surveyor of
Rapahannock county a Plat and Certificate of
Survey for the same within three months next after
making the said Survey, and an assignment thereof
in my name to make to himself that the Grant
may issue in his own name. Hence ratifying
and confirming all and whatsoever the said Robert
Craig my irrevocable Attorney shall lawfully
do in and about the premises by virtue hereof

212. In Witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my
names and affixed my seals this 12th day of
January 1798.

Signed sealed and delivered in presence of
Wm. P. Anderson

H. Bradford

D. McGavock

John Martin

State of Tennessee }
New District }

This day Alexander Donelson appeared
before me, Charles Tatum, Esquire, one of the
Judges of the Superior Court of Law & Equity for
the State aforesaid, and acknowledged the signing
Sealing & delivery of the foregoing assignment &
power of attorney to Robert Craig, as his Act and
deed, Given under my hand at Nashville, in the
State aforesaid this twelfth day of January
Anno Domini 1798.

Chas. Tatum Jf. C. 26

At a Court held for Washington county the
20th day of August 1799.

A power of attorney from Alexander
Donelson to Robert Craig was exhibited in
court and together with the Certificate of
acknowledgment endorsed thereon were ordered to
be recorded.

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