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State of North Carolina, Caswell County

Know all men by these presents that I Elizabeth Crook of the County & State aforesaid for Divers good causes & considerations me therunto moving Do by these presents nominate constitute and appoint my faithful and trusty friend Thomas Kimbrough my Lawful agent and Attorney for me & in my behalf, himself & use, he is hereby vested with full power to rent my dower of Land Lying in the County aforesaid in what manner he my said Agent and Attorney may think most to my benefit & advantage Also take up a writ now in the Kings hands, Thomas Kimbrough Guardian for the Orphans of Andrew Crooks Deceased against Elizabeth Crooks former Guardian, which writ is to be Stopped at the Expense of the said Elizabeth Crooks Also to act & transact all my business in said County in his my said Attorneys hands at present, & which ^{shall} hereafter comes into his hands. I do hereby vest my said Agent & Attorney with all my power & authority often renting said dower of Land for me & in my behalf to receive such rents or profits as may arise from said Land also to Stop for me & in my behalf the above mentioned writ and out of my money pay the costs of the same, Also to act & transact all my business in the said County in as full & ample manner as I could do myself were I personally present, & I do hereby ratify & confirm by this my present Lawful act or acts thing or things done by my said Agent or attorney. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 24th of January A.D. 1799

Elizabeth Crook ^{her} mark

signed sealed & delivered in presence of
Samuel Hanes
Alexander Hanes

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The Commission of this Letter of attorney aforesaid being found in due time by the Oath of the said Alexander Hanes one of the L. writing before my hands & on motion ordered to be recorded

Attest
Alexander Hanes Clk.

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Agreeable to an order of the Worshippful Court of Caswell County to us directed to appraise and lot of to the Negro of James Ingram Dec'd. their proportionable part of the Negro belonging to the said Estate Agreeable to the Contents of the will, which is stated below (Viz)

1 Negro Fellow Dick	120 £ Virginia Currency
12 th Girl Let	110
1 ditto Bay Luke	75
1 ditto do Merson	70
1 ditto do Bob	65
Divided between 4 Orphans	440
	73..6..8 Each

John Ingram Orphan	Dr
To 1 Negro Bay Luke	£75
Contra. let by to part of 5 Negroes	73..6..8
Balance due the other Orphans	1..13..4

Benjamin Ingram	Dr
To 1 Negro Bay Bob	£65
Contra. let by to part of 5 Negroes	73..6..8
Balance due Benj ^r Ingram	9..6..8

Calary Ingram	Dr
To 1 Negro Fellow Dick	£120
Contra. let by to part 5 Negroes	73..6..8
Balance due the other Orphans	46..13..4

Wychel Ingram	Dr
To 1 Negro Girl Let	£100
Contra. let by to part 5 Negroes	73..6..8
Luncheon	Balance due the other Orphans - 36..13..4

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