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Know all men by these presents that I John Smith of the County of Currituck and State of North Carolina do hereby Give Grant and Consecration in permanent Writing have made Covenants and appointed and by these presents do make Covenants and appoint my Trusty Friend Benjamin Johnston my Son and Legall Attorney for me and in my Name and for my use to Sell Grant and Consecrate and Release off and from John Rogers his Heirs Etc. ^{and} his Executors and Assigns and from John Sykes and Yancy Butler all of this County and State as also from the Estate of Peter Rogers Deceased his Executors Administrators and Assigns of the Common wealth of Virginia and County of Halifax and such other person or persons as have Right to Deliver the same full Release of all the Estate or parts of Money as shall be lawfully Owed due from them to me the said John Smith Giving and by these presents Granting to my said Attorney my sole full Power and Authority to take Plea and to take such legal courses for the recovery and obtaining of the same as I myself might or could lawfully do personally present and upon the receipt of the same Acquittance or Receipt discharge for me and in my name to make Sign Seal Deliver as also one or more Attorneys or Attorneys under him to Substitute and appoint and again at his Pleasure to revoke and further to do Plea and discharge for me and in my name all and singular thing or things which shall or may be necessary touching and concerning the Premises as fully Thoroughly and entirely as the said John Smith in my own Power might or could do in or about the same ratifying and confirming and confirming whatever my said Attorney shall lawfully do or cause to be done in and about the Execution of the Premises by virtue of these presents In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 3rd day of March Anno Domini 1787

John Smith
Benjamin Johnston
John Sykes
Yancy Butler
Peter Rogers
John Rogers
John Sykes
Yancy Butler

This Letter of Attorney was duly Read in Open Court at the Court of John Alford Esq. Judge of the County of Currituck and was ordered to be recorded

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Know all men by these presents that I John Robertson of Currituck County and State of North Carolina have bargained sold and delivered and by these presents do bargain sell and deliver unto James Hogue his Heirs and Assigns and such other person or persons as shall see fit and in consideration of the sum of Fifty pounds Lawfull money to me in hand paid by the said James Hogue and I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 1st day of January 1787

John Robertson
James Hogue

This Bill of Sale was duly Acknowledged in Open Court and ordered to be recorded

John Robertson
James Hogue

Know all men by these presents that I Duncan Commercial this day do make over to Sell and Deliver John Graves his my Crop of Tobacco Sales all my House hold furniture as quantity to the said Graves for a Term of a Month due him from me which Crop and House hold furniture Goods the said Graves shall keep in his possession until payment is well and truly made in Cash With my hand Seal this 14th day of October 1786

Duncan Commercial
John Graves

This Bill of Sale in Trust was duly Read in Open Court by John Graves Esq. and was ordered to be recorded

John Graves