State of North Carolina
Person County

This Indenture made this second day of December in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and five Between Nathl. Hatchett Chairman & the Justices Court of Person County & State aforesaid on behalf & for the Justices of the said County & their Successors of the One Part & Abraham Cooper of the Other Part Witnesseth that the said Nathl. Hatchett in pursuance of the Act of Assembly in that Case made & provided doth put place & bind as an Apprentice unto the said Abraham Cooper an Orphan named Elizabeth Frost now of the age of ten years 10th Months with the said Abraham Cooper to live after the manner of an Apprentice Servant until the said Apprentice shall attain the age of Eighteen years during all which time the said Apprentice her Master faithfully shall serve his lawful Commands everywhere readily & she shall not at any time absent herself from her said Master service without leave but in all things as a good & faithful servant shall behave towards her said Master and the said Abraham Cooper doth covenant promise & agree to & with the said Elizabeth Frost that he will teach & instruct or cause the Trade & mistery the said Elizabeth Frost to learn to read & write and that he will constantly find & provide for said Apprentice during the term aforesaid sufficient diet washing Lodging and Apparel fitting for an Apprentice & servant & also all other things necessary both in sickness & in health — In Witness whereof the parties to these presents have interchangeably set their hands & seals the day & year first above written

Nathl. Hatchett (Seal)
Abraham Cooper (Seal)

Test
James Young

The Indenture was duly Executed in Open Court and Ordered to be Recorded

Test
J. Dickinson

Received of Richard Coleman the 28th day of October 1805 Two Hundred Dollars it being full Payment for the following Articles viz one black Mare named Bell Eight Years Old one Bay Colt one Year & a Named Colt one Bay Horse by the Name of Jack 10 Years Old Three Cows & two Calves two Beds & furniture & a parcel of Corn standing in the field be the same more or less which property I warrant to Richard Coleman his Heirs & Assigns against the Claim or Claims of any person or persons whatsoever as Witness my hand & seal in Person County & State of North Carolina day and date as above

The Condition of the above Bill of sale is such that if Isaiah Cole shall pay to Richard Coleman the sum of Two Hundred Dollars with Interest from the date on or before the first day of January 1807 then this Bill of sale to be void otherwise to remain in full force & virtue date as above

Isaiah Cole (Seal)

Test
James Daniel
John his + mark Davis

The Bill of Sale was duly Proved in Open Court and Ordered to be Recorded

J. Dickinson