

Decem^r. Term 1798

Now shew by These Presents that I William Perkins of the County of Greenville South. have named & constituted, and by these Presents do constitute name, ordain, appoint, and make Anthony Brown and Lige Perkins or either of them my true & faithful Attorneys for me and in my Name to attend the Slaves Sale to be made by the J^{ty} of Person County, of the Goods and Chattels Leases &c. of Rob^t. Perkins by Virtue of said Execution - from the County Court of Person, for a Debt due, and owing to me, and to Demand & Receive the money due to me on the said Execution, or to Purchase the Property to the amount of the said Execution, and to take the same into his or their Possession for my use, and to make and give Acquittances and other Discharges in my Name, and generally to do and execute in the Premises as fully as I myself might or could, as being personally Present, testifying, confirming & allowing all and whatever my said or either of my Attorneys shall or Law to be done therein by Virtue of these Presents, in W^{it}ness Whereof I have Subscribed set my hand & Seal this 12th day of November 1797.

Teste
Sam^l. Perkins

William Perkins Seal

Person County Decem^r. Term 1798

The Execution of this Power of att^y was duly Proved in Open Court & ordered to be Recorded

Teste
Lige Perkins

64 December Term 1797

November 8th 1797

The Estate of Ben Blackes

Per

To Reminding the Copiers of the said Blackes:

To W^{it}es, Samuel Roberts & John from the 6th day of March 1797, until this date, that is to say diet Lodging, washing and Mending at the Rate of £10 per Year Each

We have allowed the Charge that was brought forward by Samuel Roberts, which amounts to £8¹⁰ 10

Thomas White
W^m Michels

Person County
Decem^r. Term 1797.

The above account was Exhibited in Court & ordered to be Recorded

Teste
Lige Perkins

December Term 1797

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Proven, all by these Records that Stephen Stewart, have
 conveyed, sold and delivered, unto Major John, one Negro Boy by
 the Name of Isaac, which Negro by said Stewart & for
 ever depend, from the Claims or Claims of every other Person
 having any Right to or Lawfull Claim to said Negro, given
 under my Hand this 20th of January 1795

Stephen Stewart
 Do^t Sewell

Prison County, Decem^r. Term 1797

The Execution of this Bill of Sale was
 duly Proved in Open Court by the Oath of Do^t Sewell &
 reduced to be Recorded

Do^t Sewell
 J. Perkins

James Wright, Do^r to Robert Murray
 10 Raffle Gun 30 Dollars
 1 March, saddle 5 Dollars
 10 1 Note of hand 30 Dollars
 which amount \$30.10

Prison County
 This day John Murray came before me a Justice
 of the Peace for said County and made Oath on the Writ^{ts}
 Every which of Almighty God, that the above sum of thirty
 Pounds Ten Shillings, Currency, after giving all just
 Credits, left him 4th 1797

Prison County Decem^r. Term 1797
 The above &c. was taken and in Court
 and ordered to be Recorded
 J. Perkins

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March Court 1798

This Indenture made this 5 Day of March in the Year
 of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & ninety
 Eight between John Gwin Esq^r in behalf of the Sug-
 gress of the County of Person & their Successors in Oppo-
 sition of the one Part and Thomas Hood of the other Part
 Witnesseth that the sd John Gwin agreeable to an
 Order of the said County Court made the day &
 date above written both place & bind, unto the sd
 Thomas, Sarah Day, an O. shant of the age of 5
 Years to live after the manner of an Apprentice &
 Servant until she shall attain to the age of
 Eighteen Years during all which time her said
 Master, lawfully shall give his Lawfull Command
 every where & shall Obey, for shall not at any time
 absent himself from her said masters service with-
 out leave But in all things as a good & lawfull servant
 shall behave towards her said Master & the said Thomas
 Hood both Cooperant & Promise & agree to & with the sd Thomas
 Hood -- that he will teach & instruct or cause to be taught &
 instruct the sd Sarah Day - according to law to read Write
 & also the art & Mystery of spinning that he will constantly feed
 & provide for the sd Apprentice during the Term above said sufficient
 Diet Washing Lodging & Apparel fitting for an Apprentice & servant
 and also all other thing necessary both in sickness & in health
 In Witness whereof the parties to these Present have