

Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 1837.

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Teste L.R. Edwards Esq

*Vaughn  
To  
Harrietta*

I Know all men by these presents that I Henry B Vaughn, of the County of Southampton & State of Virginia, have manumitted, emancipated and set free, by these presents do manumit and emancipate his free negro woman slave named Henrietta and I hereby declare her the said Henrietta to be entirely liberated from slavery, and entitled to the rights and privileges of a free person with which it is in my power to vest her. She the said Henrietta hereby emancipated is a woman of very bright or yellow complexion, or a mulatto, about five feet six or seven inches high, and will be seventeen years old on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of December next. In testimony whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand & seal this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June one thousand eight hundred thirty seven.

Henry B Vaughn *Seal*

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*Jonlin  
To  
Ferguson*

I Know all men by these presents that I Matthew Jonlin of the County of Madison and State of Tennessee have for divers good causes and considerations, me, heretounto moving, nominated, made, constituted and appointed and by these presents do nominate, make, constitute and appoint Mathias Ferguson, of the County and State aforesaid my true effectual and lawful attorney in fact for me and in my name, place, room and stead, to ask, demand, receive, accept & for all monies, rates, bonds, and obligations and estate or property of whatsoever sort or kind and description, whatsoever I and, have been or may hereafter be intitled to in right of my wife Nancy Jonlin formerly Nancy Ferguson or otherwise of the estate of the late William Ferguson late of the County of Southampton in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and also the estate of Edith Ferguson who was the relict and widow of said William Ferguson of said County of Southampton and also of the estate of Lydia Ferguson late of said County of Southampton. Also Robert Ferguson late of said County of Southampton or any other legacy or estate of money or property whatsoever from any and all persons - In the hands of the Executor aout. of either of the above named deceased persons and in the hands any other person or persons whatsoever or in whatever whatsoever residing in the said County of Southampton or elsewhere. And in the want any such money estate, legacy or property in the hands of any Executor aout. of any of the before named deceased persons upon demand of my said attorney, shall neglect or refuse to pay over to my said attorney, the money, estate or other property by any of the ways herein named, then and in that case my said attorney is hereby authorized and empowred to institute and carry on any suit in Law or Equity necessary for the recovery of my said money or estate or property aforesaid and to do and every thing necessary to be done for the proper obtaining of judgment and final recovery of my said money estate or property or any part thereof and to give release and acquittances, receipts and discharged or any other manner or chun of necessary in and about the premises hereby ratifying, making effectual and Confirming whatsoever my said attorney may lawfully do in and about the premises in as full and complete a manner as if I myself were personally present and done by myself. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11<sup>th</sup> day of November in the year of our Lord 1836.

Matthew Jonlin *Seal*  
*mark*

State of Tennessee

Madison County Personally appeared before me Montgomery B Stewart Clerk of the County Court of said County, the within named Matthew Jonlin with whom I am personally acquainted and acknowledged that he executed the within power of Attorney for the purposes therein contained

Given under my hand and Seal of office at Jackson on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of November A.D. 1836

and the 61<sup>st</sup> year of American Independence M.B. Stewart Clerk