

To revoke and we do hereby revoke all former powers of attorneys hereby ratifying and confirming
and by these presents allowing whatsoever our ^{said} attorney M. C. Smith shall in our name
lawfully do or cause to be done in and about the premises by virtue of these presents
In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this the sixth day of June
1839-

Charles Smith ^(Seal)
Polly Smith ^(Seal)

The State of Alabama }
Limestone County SS } Personally appeared before us A. D. Hafford and Saml. Ray Esq
acting Justices of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid The above named Charles Smith
and Polly his wife who acknowledged that they jointly signed sealed and delivered the foregoing
power of attorney on the day and year therein mentioned to the aforesaid M. C. Smith and
The said Polly being by us severally examined apart from her said husband acknowledged that
she signed sealed and delivered the said power of attorney freely without any fear threats or
compulsion of her said husband. Given under our hands and seals this sixth day of May Anno
Do. May 6th 1839

A. D. Hafford ^(Seal)
Saml. Ray ^(Seal)

The State of Alabama }
Limestone County SS }

I Robert Auston Jr. Clerk of the County Court of said County do hereby
Test Andrew D. Hafford and Samuel Ray whose names are signed to the above certificate were at the
date thereof acting Justices of the Peace in and for the said County and that full faith and credit
are due to all their official acts and deeds as such and that their said certificate is in due form and
In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of
said County Court at my office in Athens this 7th day of June 1839 and 63rd
year of the American Independence



John Robert Auston Jr. Clerk

State of Alabama }

Limestone County } I F. B. Nelson Judge of the County Court of said County do hereby certify that
Robert Auston Jr. whose name appears to the foregoing certificate is and was at the time of signing
the same Clerk of the County Court of said County of Limestone in the said State of Alabama and
that full faith and credit is due and should be given to all his official acts as such. Given
under my hand and seal this the 10th day of June 1839

F. B. Nelson Judge

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 16th day of September 1839
This Power of Attorney was returned and together with the certificates annexed were delivered to
John R. Edwards Esq

Dandson

to

Francis Weston

Examined by

This Indenture made and entered into this 16th day of September in the year of our Lord 1839
between Joseph Dandson of Southampton County Va of the first part M. L. Overill of the same County of the same
Francis Weston part and Nathaniel Francis of the same County and State of the third part witnesseth where the said
Joseph Dandson stands fully indebted to the said Nathl Francis in the just and full sum of two hundred
and sixty seven dollars and sixty cents due by note bearing equal date with this Indenture and on
demand two days after date and being various and willing to secure the payment of said debt and also
all other notes that the said M. L. Francis may be subsequently bound as such for said Dandson and
have with him the said M. L. Overill his Clerk &c he the said Joseph Dandson shall for and
in consideration of the premises and for the further consideration of the sum of one dollar to
him in hand paid by the said M. L. Overill at and before the sealing and delivery of these
presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, given granted bargained and sold and by these
presents do give grant bargain and sell with unto the said M. L. Overill his representative to the
following negro property to wit by name Womans Sarah Boy Allen and Cal Jane and him