

The State of Alabama
Sanford County, Ala.

We now all and by these presents that our Petros M. Parker and Virginia J. Parker of said State and County have this day constituted and appointed, and do by these presents constitute and appoint William M. Parker of Sanford County, State of Virginia our true and lawful attorney for us and in our name to carry all our right and title in a certain tract of land, lying in western part of Southampton County, Virginia formerly owned by Martha and Mary Parker, giving and granting unto our said attorney, full power and authority to do all acts, pleadings, and process to be done in and about the premises. Witness our hands and seals, this 25th day of June A.D. 1844.

P. M. Parker (Seal)
Virginia J. Parker (Seal)

The State of Alabama
Sanford County.

I, George H. Perry, an acting Justice of the peace hereby certify that P. M. Parker and wife Virginia J. Parker above named are signers to the foregoing Power of Attorney and are known to me, acknowledged before me, on this day, that they are owners of the contents of said instrument, they executed the same voluntarily, on the day the same hereunto date, Virginia J. Parker remains & separates and parted from her husband. Witness mine own hands, this 25th day of June A.D. 1844.

George H. Perry, J.
Justice of the Peace.

The State of Alabama
Sanford County.

I, J. A. Abraham, Judge and in office Clerk of the Probate Court of County of Sanford County, in said State, do hereby certify that George Henry Perry, whose signature is affixed to the certificate in the paper-book annexed, was, at the date thereof, one of the Justices of the Peace within and for said County, duly commissioned and acting, under the authority of this State, and that full faith and credit is and ought to be given to his acts and proceedings done in that capacity, and that I am acquainted with the hands, writing of said George H. Perry, and believe his signature to said certificate is genuine, also that his return and books annexed is executed and acknowledged according to the laws of the State for the purpose therein expressed, and that the said George H. Perry was duly authorized to take such acknowledgment.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Probate Court, this 27th day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty four.

J. A. Abraham, Judge and in
office Clerk Probate Court, Sanford
County, Ala.



Southampton County, W. H. Clarke's official duty, 1844

That Power of Attorney given P. M. Parker & wife to W. M. Parker was this received and with the certificate thereof annexed, admitted to record.

Witness

W. H. Edwards C. C.