

South Carolina 3 Know all men by these presents, that we Archibald
 Greenville District 3 Mercury & Polly, Mercury of the state and District
 aforesaid for divers good causes and considerations are therunto moving and
 further being indebted to T. F. Westmoreland which will appear by
 balance of judgment and execution now filed in the Sheriffs office of 5th
 District take a note of hand in favour of S^r. Westmoreland have made
 constituted and appointed the above named Westmoreland of the State &
 District aforesaid our lawful agent or certain attorney for us in our
 name or names as the case may be in our behalf to bring to a reckoning
 and to adjust and settle accounts with all and every person and persons
 whomsoever, who is or may or shall be indebted to us upon any account or
 by any ways or means whatsoever or howsoever, and by all lawful ways
 and means to demand and sue for recover and receive all such sums of
 money, goods commodities, merchandise or effects, as now are or shall
 become due and payable to us jointly or seperately, as the case may
 be from any person or persons whomsoever as aforesaid and upon receipt
 thereof, or any part thereof in our name or names, as the case may be to
 execute and deliver sufficient acquittance and discharges for the same
 and further to do all lawful acts and things whatsoever concerning the
 premises, as fully and effectually in every respect in our names as we
 could do if we were personally present, and further authorize said Westmore-
 land (and first if a sufficiency) is recovered to pay himself, the demand which
 he the S^r. Westmoreland holds (viz) balance of a judgment & Execution also
 a note of hand in favour of S^r. Westmoreland said note amounting to three
 Dollars & 60 cts due this day next a reasonable compensation for said
 Westmorelands trouble and expenses in recovering the same, then if any
 balance in his hands to be equally distributed between my just creditors in
 proportion to their demands. The balance if any to be paid to... applica-
 tion hereby ratifying, and confirming) all whatsoever our said attorney shall
 lawfully do or cause to be done, in our name or names as the case may be
 in and about the premises. In testimony whereof we have herunto
 set our hands and seals this 28th day of September, Archibald Mercury (Seal)
 1838 in the presence of ^{her} Polly & Mercury (Seal)
 Watson Robbs Hosea Lindsey

South Carolina 3 Personally came before me the subscribing Justice,
 Greenville District 3 Watson Robbs and made Oath that he saw Archibald
 Mercury and Polly Mercury sign and acknowledge the with power of
 Attorney and that Hosea Lindsey was with himself a subscribing wit-
 ness to the same sworn to this 1st October 1838. Watson Robbs
 Rich^d Thurston J. P. || Recorded for the 1st day of October 1838.
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