

in the prosecution of all his studies that as a small reward for his merit & good conduct I have now given & granted unto him the s^d Dr Randall Croft & his heirs forever a small Negro girl named Mariane daughter of my cook woman Abigail, aged about 8 years & now learning to sew & work under Margaret. Now know all men by these presents that I Edward Croft father of the s^d Dr Randall Croft for and in consideration of the ~~Præmissis~~ aforesaid & also in consideration of the love & affection that I have & bear for my s^d son Randall Croft & also in consideration of five dollars to me in hand paid do hereby & herein give grant & assign over to s^d Randall Croft his heirs forever the aforesaid Negro girl Mariane & her father issue & increase to have and to hold the same free from the control or interference of myself or any other person or persons whomsoever claiming or to the same. Witness my hand & seal this 22nd of Aug^t 1839 Signed Sealed & delivered in presence of

of St. McKenzie ^{South Carolina} _{Greenville District} } personally came Henry M. Kenzie before me & made oath that Edward Croft acknowledged the within deed of gift before him unto Randall Croft for the use and purposes therein mentioned and that he signed his name to the same as a witness the 15th Oct. 1839 - Sworn & subscribed to before me W. Blasingame J. Du. } Edward Croft

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The State of South Carolina } Know all men by these presents that I Edward Croft as a ¹⁴⁸ Greenville D^t } small testimony for the highly honourable & meritorious conduct of my younger son Dr Theodore E. Croft not only in the prosecution of all his studies but in the whole tenor of his life & also with a view to assist his family: do hereby herein give & grant unto my son Theodore E. Croft & his heirs forever a small Negro girl named Dyerinda aged about six years the daughter of Diana now in Alabama to have & to hold the s^d Negro girl together with the future issue & increase of her to the s^d Dr Theodore E. Croft & his heirs forever & forever free & exempt from the control & interference of myself & of every other person whomsoever. In Witness whereof I do hereby & herein set my hand & seal this 22nd day of Aug^t 1839 Signed Sealed & delivered in the presence of

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South Carolina } Know all men by these presents that I Young P. Pool of the ¹⁴⁸ Greenville District } State and District aforesaid for and in consideration of the love and affection I have for my son Hampton M. Vey Pool of the same State and District have given granted bargained sold released and conveyed and by these presents do give grant bargain sell release & convey unto him the said Hampton M. Vey Pool a certain tract or parcel of land situate lying being