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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to William Kerr [Karr] SC2048
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Colonel Henry Hampton, or whom it may concern

Be it Known, that I William Kerr of Colonel Henry Hampton's Regiment of State Dragoons
Have for full Value received, Bargained, Sold and Sett over to John Jack of McLenburg
[Mecklenburg] County North Carolina all my right in such a Negro as may be Drawn or ordered
to me as a recompense for my Ten months Service in said Regiment, And I Do hereby fully
Empower the said John Jack his executors administrators or assigns to ask, Demand, Sue for
Recover & Receive the said Negro together with Such of My Cloathing as may yet remain Due;
and the Same so received to have, possess and Enjoy as his actual property free & Clear of any
[word written over and obliterated] or molestation from me my heirs, executors, Administrators
or Assigns –

In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal this 17th August 1782

Signed Sealed & delivered

in my presence

S/ Ezek. I Polk [Ezekiel Polk]


S/ William Kerr {Seal}



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24th March 1783 I Assigned my right of the within Instrument of Writing to Charles Alexander
Senior or James Jack per me

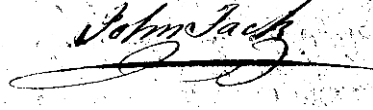
S/ John Jack



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3rd June 1784 I do assign over my right and title of this Instrument of writing to Captain James
Giles or his assigns for full value Received of him by me this day and year above written in
presence of
S/ Abm Livingston

S/ John Jack

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John Jack", with a long horizontal flourish underneath. The signature is written in black ink on a light background.