

The people of the State of New York by the Grace of God free and independent To Mary Estes & Caleb Johnson of the town of Palatine in the County of Montgomery send Greeting. Whereas John Estes of the said town of Palatine ~~is~~ is alleged lately and intestate having whilst living and at the time of his death goods Chattles and credits within this state by means whereof the said administering and granting administration of all and singular the said goods chattles and credits and also the auditing allowing and final discharging the account thereof doth appertain unto us, and we being desirous that the goods chattles and credits of the said deceased may be well and faithfully administered applied and disposed of do grant unto you the said Mary Estes and Caleb Johnson full power by these presents to administer and faithfully dispose of all and singular the said goods chattles and credits, to ask, demand, recover, and receive the debts which unto the said deceased whilst living and at the time of his death did belong, and to pay the debts which the said deceased did owe so far as such goods chattles and credits will thereto extend and the law require. Herby requiring you to make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods chattles & credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to your hands possession a knowledge and the same so made to exhibit or cause to be exhibited into the office of the surrogate of the said County of Montgomery at or before the expiration of six Calendar months from the date hereof, and also to render a just and true account of administration when thereunto required, and we do by these presents depute constitute and appoint you the said Mary Estes, Caleb Johnson administrators and administrators of all & singular the goods, chattles & credits which were of the said John Estes. In testimony whereof we have caused the seal of office of our said surrogate to be hereunto affixed. Witness Tobias Stoutenburgh Surrogate of the said County at Johnstown the eleventh day of October in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and twenty four & of our independence the forty ninth

Tobias Stoutenburghs Surrogate