Otsego county ss. Be it remembered that this ninth day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and twenty five before me Charles Hayden Surrogate for the said County appeared Henry Simmons and being duly sworn made oath that Isaac Gramlee deceased died in the state of administration of which the foregoing is a copy made in his will or testament so far as he knows believes and that he will to the best of his ability faithfully administer the goods chattels and credits of the said deceased by paying his debts so far as the said goods chattels and credits would thereto extend and the law requires and that he will to the best of his ability make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the said goods chattels and credits and exhibit the same into the office of the Surrogate of the County of Otsego for a the expiration of six calendar months from this day and that he will to the best of his ability render a just and true account of administration when thereunto lawfully required. Be it further remembered that thereupon letters of administration of which the foregoing are a copy were delivered to the said Henry Simmons.

C. Hayden, Surrogate

[Letters of Administration.]

The People of the State of New-York, by the Grace of God Free and Independent. To Ezra F. Strong of the town of Stanley Creek in Otsego county, send GREETING:

WHEREAS Ezra Strong, late of Stanley Creek in said County

as is alleged, lately died intestate, having whilst living, and at the time of his death, goods, chattels, or credits within this state, by means whereof the ordering and granting administration of all and singular the said goods, chattels and credits; and also the auditing, allowing, and finally discharging the account thereof, doth appertain unto us; and we, being desirous that the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased may be well and faithfully administered, applied and disposed of, do grant unto you the said Ezra F. Strong full

power by these presents, to administer and faithfully dispose of all and singular the said goods, chattels 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 said goods, chattels and credits will thereto extend, and the law require; Hereby requiring you to make, or cause to be made, a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased, which have or shall come to your hands, possession or knowledge, and the same so made, to exhibit, or cause to be exhibited into the office of the Surrogate of the said county of Otsego 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 Ezra F. Strong

Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits which were of the said Ezra Strong, deceased at the time of his death.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the Seal of Office of our said Surrogate to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS Charles Hayden Esquire, Surrogate of the said county, at Albany, the Twenty third day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five and of our Independence the Fiftieth

C. Hayden Surrogate