

Consent of John Michael

March the 9 1846

Mr. Richard Collins Clerk of
Whitley County I send these few
lines by Mr. Silas Atchison to
certify before you that I am willing
for my daughter Marget to marry
~~and I want you to~~

Mr. John Craig and I want you to
let them have lisons so they can marry
Silas Atchison John Michael

(State of Indiana)

Whitley Circuit } Before me the undersigned Clerk
of the Whitley Circuit Court this day
personally came Silas Atchison of lawful age and being
by me duly sworn upon his Oath deposes and says that
he is the subscribing witness to a certain certificate of
John Michael and that he hears the said Michael
acknowledge the execution of said certificate and give
consent to the marriage of his daughter Marget to John
Craig and further that he is acquainted with John Craig
and truly believes that his turn is one year ^{of age} and that he
knows of no lawful reason why he should not be joined in marriage
with Marget Atchison
Silas Atchison

Witness my hand and seal this 9th day of March 1846 at Columbia City, Ind. Silas Atchison

Certificate of consent
to the marriage of
John Craig
to
Margaret Michael

Witnessed March 9th
1846 -
A. P. Botling, atty

[Faint, mostly illegible cursive text, likely the body of the certificate or a related document.]