

Thomas Barney  
to  
Joshua Barney

Penning Land

July 21<sup>st</sup> 1787  
to Joshua Barney

Baltimore County July the 24<sup>th</sup> 1787 Came Thomas  
Barney before me One of the Justices for said County  
and Acknowledged the Within power of Attorney to be  
his Act and Deed According to the true intent and  
meaning thereof

Geo. Gould, Justice

Baltimore County to wit  
I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may  
concern that George Goldsmiths Presbytery Gentleman before whom the  
above acknowledgment ~~was~~ taken and who hath thereto subscribed  
his name was at the time of the taking and signing thereof &  
still is one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid  
and to all Certificates by him given as such due faith and credit  
is and ought to be given as well in Courts of Justice as therout  
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal  
of office this twenty fifth day of July one  
Thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Seven

William Gibson, Clerk, Balt. Co.

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That I  
Thomas Barney of Baltimore County in  
the State of Maryland  
have made, ordained, and constituted, and by these Presents do make,  
ordain, and constitute, and in my Place and Stead, put and depute my  
trusty and loving Friend Cap<sup>t</sup>. Joshua Barney

my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my Name, and for my  
use, to ask, demand, sue for, recover, and receive ~~all such Sum and  
Sums of Money, Debts, Goods, Wares, Dues, Accounts, and other  
Demands whatsoever, which or shall be due, owing, payable, and  
belonging to me, or detained from me by any Manner of Ways or  
Means whatsoever, by a patent due me, for Lands due~~  
to me as a Soldier in the Pennsylvania Legion

giving and granting unto my said Attorney, by these Presents, my  
full and whole Power, Strength, and Authority, in and about the  
Premises, to have, use, and take all lawful Ways and Means, in my  
Name, for the Recovery thereof. And upon the Receipt of any such  
Debts, Dues, or Sums of Money aforesaid, Acquittances, or other  
sufficient Discharges for me, and in my Name, to make, seal and del-  
iver. And generally, all and every other Act or Acts, Thing and  
Things, Device and Devices, in the Law whatsoever, needful and ne-  
cessary to be done in and about the Premises, for the Recovery of all or  
any such Debts or Sums of Money aforesaid, for me and in my Name,  
to do, execute, and perform, as fully, largely, and amply, to all In-  
tents and Purposes, as I myself might or could do, if I were personally  
present, or as if the Matter required more special Authority than is  
herein given; and Attornies, one or more, under for the Pur-  
pose aforesaid, to make and constitute, and again at Pleasure to revoke:  
Ratifying, allowing and holding for firm and effectual, all and whatso-  
ever my said Attorney shall lawfully do in and about the Premises, by  
Virtue hereof,

IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal, the  
Twenty fourth Day of July in the Year of our Lord  
One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Seven

Signed, Sealed, and Delivered  
in the Presence of

Geo. Gould, Presbytery

Thos. Barney