

KNOW all Men by these Presents,

That *William Stewart late a Soldier in the
First Pennsylvania Regiment in the Pennsylvania
Line*

Have constituted, made and appointed; and by these Presents do
constitute make and appoint *my* trusty and loving Friend
Board Shindle of the City of Philadelphia

my _____ true
and lawful Attorney, for ~~me~~ and in ~~my~~ Name and Stead; and
to ~~his~~ Use; to ask, demand, sue for, levy, recover and receive,
all such Sum and Sums of Money, Debts, Rents, Goods, Wares,
Dues, Accounts, and other Demands whatsoever; which are or
shall be due, owing, payable, and belonging to *me* or detain-
ed from *me* by any Manner of Ways or Means whatsoever by
the United States, or the State of Pennsylvania,
for my Services, rendered as a Soldier, for which
I have received full Value

giving, and granting unto *my* said Attorney, by these Pre-
sents, *my* full and whole Powers, 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 afore-
said, acquittances, or other sufficient Discharges, for *me* and
in *my* Name, to make seal and deliver, and generally all and
every other Act and Acts, Thing and Things, Device or Devices,
in the Law whatsoever, needful and necessary to be done in and
about the Premises, for *me* _____ and in *my*
_____ Name to do, execute and perform, as fully, largely and
amply, to all Intents and Purposes, as *I* _____ might or
could do, if *I* was personally present, or as if the Matter re-
quired more especial authority than is herein given; and Attor-
neys one or more under *them* _____ for the Purpose aforesaid,
to make and constitute, ~~and~~ again at Pleasure to revoke; ratify-
ing, 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 this *9th* Day
of *June* in the *eighteenth* Year of American Independence,
Annoque Domini, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety-*four*

Sealed and delivered in
the Presence of us,

*Samuel B. ...
John Smith*

Signed, *William Stewart*
Mark

William Stewart
Donation Land

