

know all men by these presents that I Thomas Cook
 of the State of Pennsylvania and County of Westmoreland
 late Captain in the Eighth Pennsylvania Regiment comman-
 -ed by Colonel M'Kay afterwards by Col. Daniel Brodhead
 do hereby Ordain Constitute and Appoint Capt. Andrew
 Wilson of the City of Philadelphia my true and lawful
 Attorney for me and in my name to transact all business
 of mine respecting all pay or Arrearages of pay to
 which I am intitled to for Services Done in the late
 continental War and any Quota of Land to which I am
 entitl'd from the State and Granting to my said Attorney
 full power and Authority to ask Demand and Receive from
 the proper Officers of the State or United States all pay and
 Arrearages of pay to which I am intitled in Virtue of Service
 in the late Continental Army and I do further empower my said
 Attorney to Appoint one or more Substitutes as the Case
 may require and Dismiss at pleasure and to act in as full
 and good manner as myself might or could do were I personally
 present therby ratifying and confirming whatever my said
 Attorney shall Lawfully do Touching or Concerning the
 Premises in Witness hereof I have hereunto set my
 hand and seal this twenty ninth Day of April one
 thousand seven hundred & Sixty Nine
 Witness my hand
 Thomas Cook
 Esq.

No. 34
 Recd. May 20. 1799
 Letter of Attorney
 to Capt. and D. Nelson
 from
 Capt. Thos. Cook
 M. S. May. 17. 1799
 Donation Land

Thos. Cook's Claim
 No. 1.

Franklin County Pa
 Came before me before the John Johnson one of the Justices of the
 Peace and Justice of the Peace of Franklin County William Cook & Joseph Cook the two Subscribers
 to the above and being sworn according to Law I do hereby certify and attest
 that the said Thomas Cook signs and Admits the above Power
 of Attorney as his Act and Deed and allowed it to be used as
 such Swearing & Subscribing this twentieth Day of April 1799
 Before me
 John Johnson
 William Cook
 Joseph Cook