

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Reed  
of Cumberland County and State of Pennsylvania, have  
made, ordained and constituted; and by these presents  
do make Ordain and constitute and in my place and stead  
put and depuete my trusty and loving friend John Copley  
of the County and State aforesaid my true and lawfull  
attorney for me and in my name to ask, demand, recover and  
receive, of the Secretary of the Land Office, or of such person whose  
duty it may be to issue, the Patent or Patents for the dona-  
tion Land due to me in virtue of my Brothers (Samuel  
Reed late Lieutenant in the Continental line of this State)  
Services; and in my name to make, seal and deliver all necessary  
Receipts, acquittances and ~~discharges~~ discharges in and about  
the premises in as full and ample a manner as I myself  
might or could do if I was personally present  
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal  
this seventeenth day of August 1787

Signed sealed and delivered  
in the presence of  
David Yovin  
Samuel Blair

Thos Reed

Cumberland Co Pa



Be it remembered that on the seventeenth day  
of August in the year 1787 before me the Sub-  
scriber one of the Justices of the Court of Common  
Pleas for the County aforesaid, personally came  
Thomas Reed and did acknowledge the foregoing  
instrument of writing to be his act and deed, in  
testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand  
and seal the day and Year aforesaid

Samuel Blair