

KNOW all MEN by these Presents, That I

*William Richardson late a Soldier in
Pennsylvania Line*

in the service of the united states of America for a valuable and full consideration to me in hand paid at or before the execution hereof by *James White of Boston*

James White the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have and by these presents do grant bargain sell release, transfer and assign unto him his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns forever: All the right, title, interest, property, claim and demand, which I now have or which I my heirs executors or administrators may at any time hereafter have to all & singular the lands pay arrearages of pay, clothing, rations, rewards, bounties, gratuities, prize-monies, and other demands due and owing to me from the United States or from any particular state. And I do hereby for myself my heirs executors and administrators covenant and agree to and with the said *James White* his heirs executors administrators and assigns that I my heirs executors and administrators shall and will at any time or times hereafter at the request cost & charges of him his heirs executors administrators and assigns make seal execute and deliver or cause or procure to be made sealed executed and delivered all and every such reasonable act and acts thing and things conveyance & conveyances assurance and assurances in the law for the perfect granting conveying releasing transferring and assigning all the right title interest property claim and demand which I now have or which I my heirs executors or administrators may at any time hereafter have, of in and to all and singular the lands and other the premises hereby granted and assigned unto him his heirs executors administrators & assigns forever as by his or their counsel learned in the law shall be reasonably advised devised or required. And I do hereby make, constitute and appoint the said

James White my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocably to ask, demand, recover and receive, of and from the United States, or from any particular State, or from any person or persons, acting by, from, or under their, or either of their Authority, all and singular, the lands, pay, arrearages of pay, clothing, rations, rewards, bounties, gratuities, prize-monies and other demands, due, owing, payable and belonging to me, or detained from me, by any manner of ways or means whatsoever, and upon receipt thereof to execute and deliver sufficient and requisite receipts, releases and acquitances for the same, and by good and sufficient conveyances and assurances in the law, to grant, bargain, sell, release and confirm the said Lands, to the purchaser, or purchasers thereof, his, her or their heirs and assigns for ever. And also to sell, assign and transfer all certificates, and registered or other stock, now or hereafter standing in *my* name, in the books of the Treasury of the United States, or of any particular state, for, or in consequence of *my* services as aforesaid, with power an attorney or attorneys under him, for the purposes aforesaid, to make, and substitute, and to do all lawful Acts requisite for effecting the premises as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes, as I might or could do by being personally present and to have done the same, hereby allowing, ratifying and confirming all and whatsoever my said Attorney or his Substitute or Substitutes shall or may do, or cause to be done therein by virtue hereof. IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this

Day of *March* in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety *four*

Scaled and Dilivered in }
the Presence of us }

William Richardson



Subscribed and sworn to before me in and to the County of *Essex* State of *New Jersey*

BE IT KNOWN, that on the Day of the Date hereof, before me *the undersigned* one of the Justices of the Peace for the County of *Essex* and State aforesaid, *William Richardson* Personally came the above named *William Richardson* and acknowledged the above Deed, Poll and Letter of Attorney, to be his Act and Deed.

(Seal)

IN TESTIMONY whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and affixed my Seal, the *eight* Day of *March* in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety *four*

And Lincoln

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Letter Testamentary &c.
Ezekiel Richardson
Deceased
Copy of Richardson's
will
Drawn
John Light and William
Messersope Executors
Donation Land