


KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That I *James Thomas* a Soldier in the late *fourth* Pennsylvania Regiment, in the service of the United States, do constitute and appoint *Henry Purdy of Montgomery County Maryland* my lawful and true Attorney, with full Power and Authority to appear at the proper Office or Offices and receive in his own name and for his own benefit and use, all such Pay, Arrears of Pay, Rations, Cloathing, Lands, or Depreciation of Pay, that may be due me from the United States or any particular state, for my services rendered as aforesaid, hereby ratifying all that my Attorney or his substitute or substitutes shall do therein by virtue hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this *Twenty Seventh* Day of *July* One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety Five.

James Thomas 

Signed and Delivered }
in the Prefence of }

Cornelius Coningham

State of Maryland
Prince Georges County viz }

BE IT KNOWN, That on the *Twenty seventh* Day of *July* one thousand seven hundred and ninety five, came before me *James Thomas* the person named in the above Power of Attorney; who, on his solemn oath, agreeable to law, doth depose and say, he is the identical person who served as above mentioned, as expressed in the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed, and given for the purpose herein mentioned; before me, one of the Justices of said County.

Cornelius Coningham

I *Peter Sobra* Mayor Public for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Residing in the City of Philadelphia by lawful authority duly Commissioned and Sworn Do hereby certify declare and make known unto all whom it doth or may concern That the within is a true and examined copy of an Original Deed Poll and Letter of Attorney and the acknowledgements thereof from *James Thomas* to *Christian Hubbert* herein named

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and affixed my notarial Seal the *twenty fourth* day of *March* Anno Domini *1794*

Peter Sobra, Notary

N. B.
James Thomas
to
Christian Hubbert

filed by *Col. Blunt Biddle*

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