

Donation Land

State of Pennsylvania County of Mifflin  
On the twenty sixth Day of February personally appeared before me the Subscriber James Burns one of the Justices of the Peace for the aforesaid, the within named persons Samuel Selas & Thomas Sands and acknowledged the within Power of Attorney to be their free Act & Deed & desired that the same might be recorded as such.  
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my Seal of Office this twenty sixth Day of February in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & ninety

Filed May 28<sup>th</sup> 1795

James Trimble

signed James Burns J.S.

For a valuable Consideration to me in Hand paid John Ames I do hereby grant, bargain & sell unto Wm. Hanna & A. W. Foster their Heirs & Assigns for ever all my Right and of the within named Samuel Selas & Thomas Sands Soldiers in the Pennsylvania line in the late War to their two Donation Tracts of Land now due from Pennsylvania and also all their other Lands and pay whatsoever due from Pennsylvania or the United States for their Services Witness my Hand & Seal this 9<sup>th</sup> of May 1795

Sealed & Delivered

signed John Ames J.S.

In Presence of  
John White  
George Long

I Nicholas Diehl J. Notary Public for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania duly commissioned and qualified residing in the City of Philadelphia do hereby certify that the foregoing Writing is a true copy of an Original Power of Attorney to me produced & of the Attestations & Assignment thereon & which I have carefully compared & found to agree therewith

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my Hand & affixed my Notarial Seal the third Day of June Anno Domini 1795

Nicholas Diehl J.

KNOW all Men by these Presents,  
That We Abraham Van Horn & Enock Wells late Soldiers in the Pennsylvania line in the Service of the United States

Have constituted, made and appointed, and by these Presents do constitute make and appoint ~~draft and loving Friend~~ John Ames to be our

true and lawful Attorney, for us and in our Name, and Stead, and to our 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 us, or detained from us any Manner of Ways or Means whatsoever by the State of Pennsylvania or the United States it being a valuable Consideration to us in hand paid by our said Attorney

giving and granting unto our said Attorney, by these Presents, our full and whole Powers, Strength and Authority, in and about the Premises, to have, use and take, all lawful Ways and Means in our Name for the Recovery thereof, and upon the Receipt of any such Debts, Dues or Sums of Money aforesaid, Acquittances, or other sufficient Discharges, for us and in our 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 us and in our Name to do, execute and perform, as fully, largely and amply, to all Intents and Purposes, as we ourselves might or could do, if we were personally present, or as if the Matter required more especial authority than is herein given; and Attorneys one or more under him for the Purpose aforesaid, to make and constitute, and again at Pleasure to revoke; ratifying, allowing and holding, for firm and effectual, all and whatsoever our said Attorney shall lawfully do in and about the Premises, by Virtue hereof.

In Witness whereof We have hereunto set our Hand and Seal, this twenty fifth Day of June in the Year of American Independence, A moque Domini, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety-one

Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of  
Michael Schind  
William George

signed  
his  
Abraham Van Horn J.S.  
mark  
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Enoch Wells J.S.  
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