

K NOW all Men by these P R E S E N T S, That I Joseph
Humphreys Waterman

Have constituted, made and appointed, and by these Presents do constitute, make and appoint my trusty and loving Friend David Clark of the City of Philadelphia Cordwainer my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my Name and Stead, and to his 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 me or detained from me any Manner of Ways or Means whatsoever by the said Master General of the United States, or any other Person or Persons what soever -

giving and granting unto him my said Attorney, by these Presents, full and whole Powers, Strength and Authority, in and about the Premises, to have, use and take, all lawful Ways and Means in my 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 me and in my 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 me

Joseph H. Humphreys, and in my Name to do, execute and perform, as fully, largely and amply, to all Intents and Purposes, as I might or could do, if I 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, so firm and effectual, all and whatsoever my said Attorney shall lawfully do in and about the Premises, by Virtue hereof. IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this Sixteenth Day of December in the Year of American Independence, Annoque Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty five.

Scaled and delivered
the Preface of

J. H. Humphreys

Joseph Humphreys

Proven before me One of the
Justices for Philadelphia County

A. M. Hanson