

**K**NOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That I *John M<sup>o</sup>.*  
*Allister* a Soldier in the late *Second*  
Pennsylvania Regiment, in the service of the United States, do constitute and ap-  
point *John Harris 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 render-  
ed as aforefaid, hereby ratifying all that my Attorney or his substitute or substitutes  
shall do therein by virtue hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereinto set my Hand and Seal this *Thirteenth*  
Day of *June* One Thousand Seven Hun-  
dred and Ninety Five.

Signed and Delivered } *John M<sup>o</sup>.* *Allister* *(Seal)*  
in the Prefence of } *mark*

*Cornelius Coningham*

State of Maryland }  
Prince Georges County Viz.

**B**E IT KNOWN, That on the *Thirteenth* Day of  
*June* one thousand seven hundred and ninety five, came be-

fore me *John M<sup>o</sup>.* *Allister* - 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*

*John M<sup>o</sup>.* *Allister*  
*June 13 1795*  
*Drawn by John Harris*  
*Montgomery*  
*John Harris*  
*1795*  
Donation Land