

KNOW all men by these presents that I George Mesenor farmer, of Frederick County State of Maryland have made and constituted and by these presents do name ordain and appoint and make Adam Kern of Washington County and State of Virginia my true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name and to my use to Demand sue for recover and receive of Robert Montgomery of Washington County and State of Virginia a paper right according to Law for that land lying in said Washington County and State of Virginia which I Bought of Alexander Montgomery, giving and hereby granting unto my said Attorney my full power and authority in my name to Receive the rights of said land and also in my name to sell and make over to the purchaser a right agreeable to Law, and also to make and give acquittances or other sufficient Discharges and generally to do and execute in the premises as fully as I myself might ~~do~~ or could do being personally present Ratifying and confirming and allowing all and whatsoever my said Attorney shall lawfully do or cause to be done therein by virtue of these presents In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13th Day of September one thousand seven hundred and eighty eight

Signed in presence of

Hugh Hart

Stu^r Stuart

George Mesenor ^{Edw} _{Senior}

Frederick County Maryland

September 16th 1788 Came George Mesenor before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the peace for Frederick County State of Maryland and did acknowledge the above Instrument of writing to be his Act and Deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned

Maryland Lt

John Ross Key

In Testimony that John Ross Key Gent before whom

whom the within Acknowledgment appears to have been made
and who hath to the same subscribed his Name was on
that Day and is now a Justice of the peace in and for
said County duly Commissioned and Qualified and that
full faith and credit is and ought to be given to his
acts as such. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed
the public Seal of the said County the seventeenth day
of September anno Domini (seventeen hundred Eighty eight)

Was Rutledge Clk

Fredk County.

At a Court held for Washington County November the 12th
day 1788

This Letter of Attorney from George Mesenor
to Adam Kerr exhibited in Court and ordered to be
recorded.

Test
Sud^{ro} Russell S. J. W. C.

In the name of God Amen I Patrick
Walson senior of Washington County and State of Virginia
being weak of Body yet of sound mind and memory,
calling to mind the mortality of the body, and knowing
that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make
and ordain this my last will and testament that
is to say, principally and first of all I give and recommend
my soul into the hands of God who gave it, and as for
my body I recommend it to be buried in a christian like
manner at the discretion of my Executors, in hopes of an
happy resurrection, and as touching such worldly estate
wherein it hath pleased God to bless me in this
life I give bequeath and dispose of the same in the
manner & form following.

I order first of all that all my just Debts and
Funeral charges be first paid out of the whole estate.

Item I leave and bequeath unto my own children here-
after mentioned (viz) Margaret Kennedy, Gilbert Walson Sarah