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John Kilborn

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X Copy of a Deed to
John Kelborn, a Soldier

Lot No 65 in Town of

No 2 of the Monument

Executed 25 Jan 1893

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Know all Men by these Presents, THAT

I whose name is undersigned & seal hereunto affixed
appointed an AGENT by the General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to make and execute conveyances, agreeably to resolves of said Court passed *the seventeenth day of June 1829.* and pursuant to resolves of said Court passed *the 4th day of March 1828 .. 18th day of February 1829, and 18th day of February 1831*

do give, grant, convey and confirm, and by these presents, in behalf of said Commonwealth, have given, granted, conveyed and confirmed unto *John Kilborn, formerly a Sergeant in the eleventh Massachusetts Regiment, Commanded by Colonel Tupper*

who enlisted as a Soldier into the American Army to serve during the revolutionary War with Great Britain, and who was returned as a part of the Massachusetts quota of said Army, and who did actually serve in said Army the full term of three years, and was honorably discharged, and to his heirs and assigns, all the right, title, and interest of said Commonwealth, in and unto a lot of land numbered *Sixty five*

situate and lying in a township, in the County of *Penobscot* in the State of Maine, numbered *two* in the *seventh* range of townships, west of the east line of said State

said lot contains two hundred acres, bounded *on the north by lot number sixty six. on the east by lot number fifty three, on the south by lot number sixty four, and on the west by lot number seventy seven*

according to a plan of the survey of said township made by *Joseph L. Helsey* in the autumn of the year *—* eighteen hundred and *twenty nine* and will more fully appear on reference being had to said plan now on file in the Land Office.

To Have and to Hold the aforegranted premises to the *said John Kilborn* — his — heirs and assigns, to their use and behoof forever. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my seal this *twenty fifth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and *thirty three*

Signed, Sealed and Delivered }
in presence of

E. Spelling
Edward D Bangs

Geo W Coffin (25)

Suffolk ss *25th Jan'y 1833* Then the above named *George W Coffin* appeared personally before me, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument by him subscribed, to be his free act and deed in his said capacity.

Edward D Bangs Justice of the Peace.

I John Kilborn of Bridgton in the County of Cumberland and State of Maine aged seventy seven years do testify, depose and say, that I entered the Army of the United States in the Massachusetts line under Col. Prescott and Capt. Asa Lawrence for eight months and served that term out. I then entered for one year under the same Col. and Capt. Samuel Patch and served that term out. I then entered for three years under Col. Ebenezer Francis and Capt. Moses Greenleaf. During said term of three years Col. Francis was killed and Col Benjamin Tupper took command of our Regiment. I served said three years out under the above named officers. I then enlisted during the war under the same Col. Tupper and Capt Thomas Francis brother to Col. E. Francis and served under said last mentioned officers till the close of the War and was discharged at West Point. I am now a pensioner under the United States act of May 1828. I lived at Littleton Mass. at the time I entered the Army, I was born in Rowley Mass. in 1755. After the close of the War. I moved in the State of New Hampshire and lived there six or seven years and then returned

to the town of Bridgton County of Cumberland
and State of Maine where I have ever since
resided. I entered the Army my first term at the
time of the Battle of Lexington and was in that
Skirmish

John Kilborne

State of Maine

Cum gratia of January 19, 1833. Then personally
appeared John Kilborne above named and
made solemn oath to the truth of the foregoing
affidavit by him signed

Before me Nathaniel Sweet Littlefield, Justice
of the Peace

I hereby certify that the above named John Kilborne is a
a person of credit and of truth and veracity and
that full faith and credit is due to his statement
above made, and that it is generally believed
in the section of County where he resides that he was
a Soldier in the Revolutionary War and what is cal-
led a during War man.

N. S. Littlefield

[POWER ATTORNEY.]

KNOW all Men by these presents,

THAT, *I John Kilborn of Bidston in the County of Cumberland Gentleman*

have constituted and made, and in *my* stead and place put, and by these presents do constitute and make and in *my* stead and place put

Eliab Littlefield of Boston in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Broker,

to be *my* lawful Attorney for *me* and in *my* name and stead, and to *my* use,

To draw from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts whatever tract or tract of land I am entitled to in consideration of my services as a Soldier in the Massachusetts line of the army of the Revolution, and to receive from the land agent of said Commonwealth any deed or deeds of the same

GIVEN and hereby granting unto *my* said Attorney, full power and authority, in and about the premises; and to take and use all due means, course and process in the law for accomplishing the same, and in *my* name to make, seal and execute due acquittances and discharges therefor: And for the purposes aforesaid to appear, and the persons of *his* constituent to represent before any governor, judges, justices, officers, and ministers of the law whatsoever, in any court or courts whatsoever: With full power to make and substitute one or more attorneys under *my* said Attorney and the same again at pleasure to revoke. And generally to do, transact, accomplish and finish all matters and things whatsoever, relating to the premises, as fully and effectually, as *his* said constituent should, ought or might personally, although the matter should require more special authority than is herein comprised.

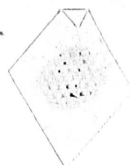
hereby ratifying and holding firm and valid whatsoever *my* said Attorney or *his* substitutes shall lawfully do or cause to be done in and about the premises, by virtue of these presents. In testimony whereof *I* have hereunto set *my* hand and seal the *nineteenth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty three*

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

IN PRESENCE OF

E. S. Littlefield

John Kilborn



State of Maine

Cumberland SS. *January 19* 18*33* Then the above named *John Kilborn* personally acknowledged the above instrument, by *him* signed and sealed, to be *his* deed. Before me,

E. S. Littlefield
JUST. PACIS.

Cover of Attorney

John Kilborn

to

Eliab Littlefield

of Boston

Boston 29th Juny 1833 Received of Gov. W. Coffin
Land Agent of the Comm^{rs} of Massachusetts a
deed of two hundred acres of land for John
Kilborn
E. Littlefield