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Henry Rogers

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X Copy of a Deed to
the heirs of Henry Rogers
a Soldier Lot No 106 in
Township No 2 of Range
west of the Monument
Executed 19 Nov. 1839

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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 17th day*
of June 1820
resolves of said Court passed *the 4th day March 1828, 18th day February*
1829, and 18th day of February 1831 and pursuant to

do give, grant, convey and confirm, and by these presents, in behalf of said Commonwealth,
have given, granted, conveyed and confirmed unto *the heirs of Henry Rogers,*
formerly a sergeant in the 4th Massachusetts
regiment commanded by Col. Shepard

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 hon-
orably discharged, and to his heirs and assigns, all the right, title, and interest of said
Commonwealth, in and unto a lot of land numbered *104*

situate and lying in a township, in the County
of *Cenobscot* in the State of Maine, *Numbered two in the*
7th Range of Townships, west of the east line
of said State

said lot contains two hundred acres, bounded *on the north by lot number*
105, on the east by lot number 92, on the south
by lot number 103, and on the west by lot
number 116.

according to a plan of the survey of said township made by *Joseph L. Helsey*
in the Autumn of eighteen hundred and *25*
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 *heirs of said*
Henry Rogers their heirs and assigns, to their use
and behoof forever. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my
seal this *nineteenth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord eighteen
hundred and *32*

Signed, Sealed and Delivered }
in presence of

John S. Langree
Joseph Foster

Geo. W. Coffin

Doyle ss *19 Nov 1832* Then the above named
Geo. 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.

Edmund D. Langley Justice of the Peace.

Albany N.Y. Decem^r 4th 1832

Received of George W Coffin Esq. Land agent of the Com
monthth of Massachusetts a deed in favour of the Heirs of
Henry Rodgers for two Hundred acres of Land situate in a
Township in the County of Penobscot in the State of Maine Number
Two, in the 7th Range of Townships west of the east line of
said State

Lewis Wakeley

Heirs of Henry Rodgers
Estate

State of New York
County of Ontario } SS

I Benjamin Rodgers Son and Heir at law to Henry Rodgers deceased being duly sworn do testify & declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief Henry Rodgers aforesaid about or in the year 1777 enlisted into the Army of the American Revolution in the Service of the State of Massachusetts for the term of "During the war" & that He served in a Regiment of Massachusetts Infantry Commanded by Colonel Cheaton and by Col Shephard and that He continued to serve according to the terms of His enlistment until the close of the war when He was regularly discharged - I further declare that I have never received a certificate for the Quantity of Land promised to Henry Rodgers aforesaid on the part of the State of Massachusetts nor do I believe that He ever received it or any commutation therefor said Henry Rodgers Died at Conhoston in Steuben County about the year 1824 being a pensioner of the United States & the number of His pension Certificate is (12,350)

Therefore Know all men by these presents that I Benjamin Rodgers aforesaid do hereby constitute & appoint Lewis Wallace of Albany in the State of New York to be my true & lawful Attorney for me and in my name to select such lot or lots of Land (from the Tract Appropriated by the State of Massachusetts for the Settlement of Revolutionary Bounty Land claims) as He shall think fit and proper and to receive from the Land Agent of Massachusetts a Title or deed therefor in the name of the Heirs of Henry Rodgers aforesaid In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28th day of August 1832

Benjamin Rodgers

County of Ontario SS Personally appeared before me _____
Christina Wales a justice of the peace in and for the County aforesaid Benjamin Rodgers Subscriber to the above declaration who acknowledged the power of Attorney thereto subjoined to be his free act and deed and likewise made oath to the truth of said declaration August 28th 1832

Christina Wales
County of Ontario Justice of the Peace of Bristol Christina Wales J.P.