

Sovereign Lord George the Second by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King, defender of the faith and so forth and in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty eight

Benja^a Nicholson
Samuel Nicholson

On the back of the foregoing Power of Attorney was thus endorsed by
Signed sealed and delivered by the within named
Samuel Nicholson (the parchment being legally
Stamp'd in Presence of us

Signed sealed and delivered
by the within named Benjamin
Ra^a Bradley Nicholson (the parchment being
legally Stamp'd in the presence
of us — James Todd
Luke Currie

to which aforesaid Letter of Attorney were annexed
the following Affidavits and Certificates Viz.

Ralph Bradley of Stockton upon Tease in the County of Durham and Kingdom of Great Britain
Gentleman make a Oath that he was present and did see Samuel Nicholson of Stockton afo^r
Doctor of Physick sign seal and deliver as his Act and Deed in due form of Law the original
Deed Coll hereunto annexed purporting to be a letter of attorney from the said Samuel
Nicholson and Benjamin Nicholson of the Borough of Berwick upon Tweed in the same
Kingdom Brewee to his Excellency Samuel Ogle Esq^r Governour of Maryland therein named
to and for the uses Intents and purposes therein mentioned and that Thomas Thorsby was
also present at the Execution of said Letter of Attorney by the said Samuel Nicholson and did
see the same duly Executed as aforesaid — and that the names Ra^a Bradley and Tho^s Thorsby
set and subscribed as Witnesses to the Execution thereof by the said Samuel Nicholson are of
the proper hand writing of the said Thomas Thorsby and of this Depoⁿent Respectively.
Ra^a Bradley

To all to whom these Presents shall come I Ralph Whitley Esquire Mayor of the Borough of
Stockton in the County of Durham and Kingdom of Great Britain in pursuance of an
Act of Parliament made and passed in the fifteenth year of the Reign of our Sovereign
Lord King George the Second intituled an Act for the more easy recovery of Debts in his
Majestys Plantations and Colonies in America do hereby certify that on the day of the
date hereof Personally came and appeared before me Ralph Bradley of Stockton afo^r
Gentleman being a Person well known and worthy of good Credit and by solemn Oath
which he then took before me upon the holy Evangelists of Almighty God did solemnly
and sincerely declare testify and depose to be true the several matters and things mentioned
and contained in the original Affidavit hereunto annexed. In full and
Testimony whereof the said Mayor have caused the Common Seal of the Corporation of
the said Borough to be hereunto put and affixed and the Letter of attorney mentioned
and referred to in and by the said Affidavit to be hereunto also annexed dated at Stockton
afo^r the fourth day of February in the twenty second year of the Reign of our Sovereign
Lord King George the Second and in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred
and forty eight.

R. Whitley May^r Seal