

BY HIS EXCELLENCY
GEORGE WASHINGTON, Esq;
General and Commander in Chief of the Forces of the
United States of America.

THESE are to CERTIFY that the Bearer hereof
Thomas Winters Sergeant
in the *2^d or New York Artillery* Regiment, having faithful-
ly served the United States *from the 10th of Feb^r 1777 until*
the present period and being enlisted for the War only, is
hereby DISCHARGED from the American Army.

GIVEN at HEAD-QUARTERS the *Ninth*
Day of June 1783 —

G. Washington

By HIS EXCELLENCY'S
Command,

Samuel C. W. Jr.

REGISTERED in the Books
of the Regiment,
James Braxfield. Adjutant.

THE above *Thomas Winters*
has been honored with the BADGE of MERIT for *Six*
Years faithful Service. —

HEAD-QUARTERS, June *Month*. 1783.

THE within CERTIFICATE shall not avail the Bearer as a Discharge, until the Ratification of the definitive Treaty of Peace; previous to which Time, and until Proclamation thereof shall be made, He is to be considered as being on Furlough.

GEORGE WASHINGTON.