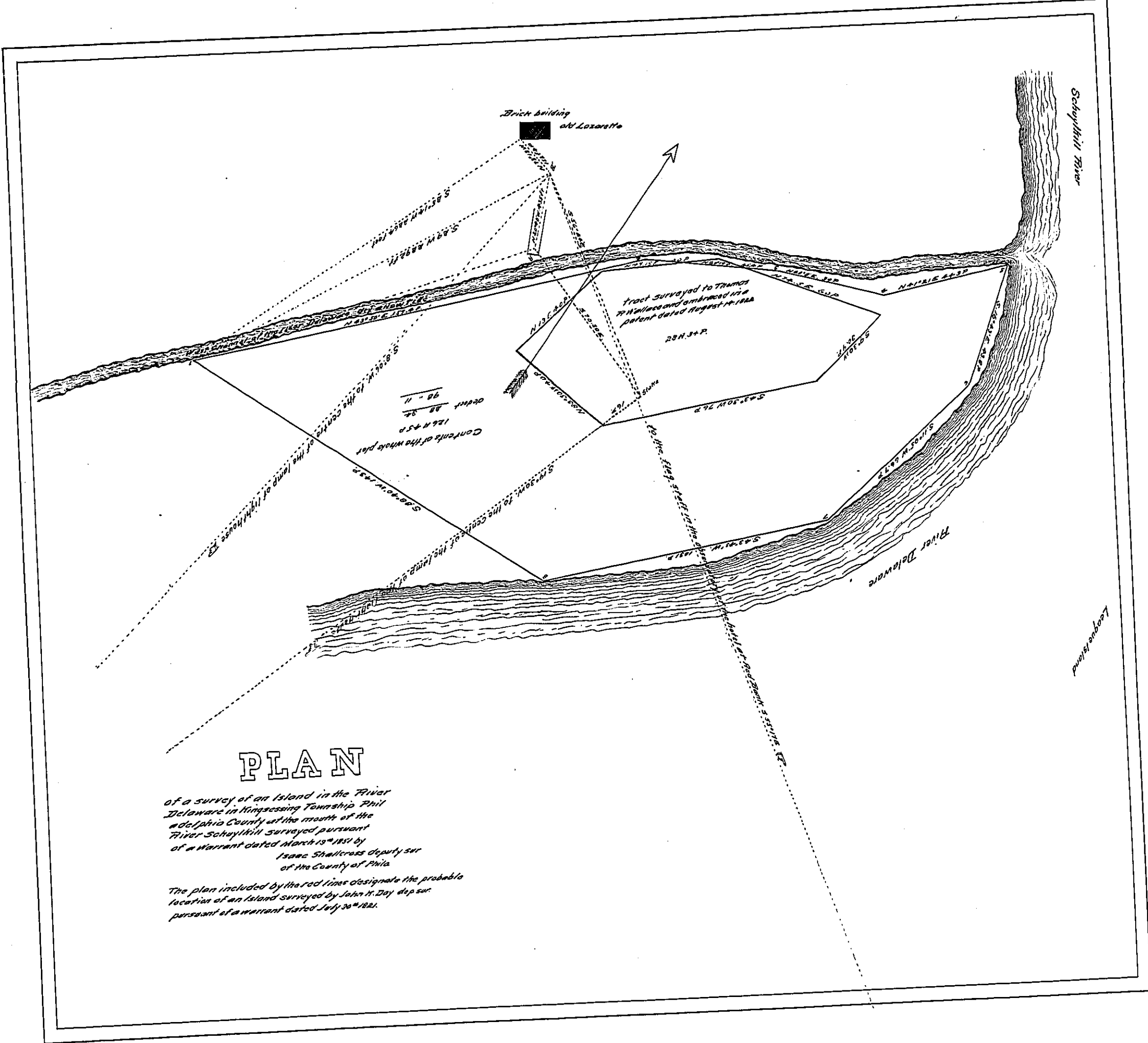


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To the Hon. John Laporte Surveyor General of the State of Pennsylvania  
 dated the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 1851  
 Pursuant to a warrant to me directed authorizing and requiring me to survey unto John W. Ashmead an Island situate in the river Delaware (sometimes called Cabin Island) in the Township of Kingsessing Philadelphia County ly at the mouth of the River Schuylkill within about one quarter of a mile Southeast from State Island save and except that part of said Island which is included within certain specified courses and distances and embraced in a Patent made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to Thomas R. Wallace the 14<sup>th</sup> of August 1822. I proceeded to survey the same and find it to be as follows a plan of which is hereunto annexed. Beginning at a corner on the Southeastly side of the Northwestern Channel of the River Delaware which corner bears South Twenty five Degrees fourteen minutes West from the Southerly Corner of a large brick building standing on the ground of the old Lazarets and at the distance of Two thousand two hundred and sixty four feet therefrom Thence by low water mark of the said River Delaware Northeastward about two hundred and eighty eight perches to low water mark at the mouth of the River Schuylkill Thence along by low water mark of the River Delaware Southeastward and southwestward the several courses thereof about Two hundred and thirteen perches to a corner. Thence South eighty eight Degrees forty five minutes West One hundred and forty three perches to the place of beginning Containing (except that part of said Island which is included within certain specified courses and embraced in a patent made by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to Thomas R. Wallace the fourteenth of March 1822) ninety eight acres and eleven perches.

With Great Respect  
 Isaac Shallcross  
 County Surveyor Phila County

In Testimony, That the above is a copy of the original remaining on file in the Department of Internal Affairs of Pennsylvania, made conformably to an Act of Assembly approved the 14<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1833, I have hereunto set my Hand and caused the seal of the said Department to be affixed, at Harrisburg, the twenty-eighth day of June A. D. 1851  
 Henry Houck  
 Secretary of Internal Affairs