

Pensilvania s.s.



By the Commissioners of Property.

At the Request of Morris Morris that we would grant him to take up the Quantity of Five Hundred Acres of Land the Original purchase made of the late Proprietor by John Clare of ffroom Sellwood in the County of Somerset in Great Britain by Deeds of Lease & Release dated the 26th. & 27th. days of July Anno 1681 whose only Son & Heir John Clare by like Deeds dated the 24th & 25th. dayes of January Anno, 1723 Granted & Released the same Land unto Clare Ruddy of Melksham in the County of Wilts who by other like Deeds dated the 18th. & 19th. days of the third Month, 1724 Granted & Conveyd the Said five hundred acres unto the said Morris Morris

These are to Authorize and Require thee to Survey or cause to be Surveyd ~~unto the said Morris Morris~~ in Right of the Original purchase aforesaid according to the Method of Townships appointed the said quantity of ffive Hundred acres of Land [first deducting the proportion of Liberty Land] that has not been already Surveyd nor appropriated nor is Sedted by ye Indians. And make Returnes thereof into the Secretarys Office in Order for a further Confirmation, Given under our Hands & the Lesser Seal of the Province at Philada. the 25th. of ye 3^d. Mo.th. A. D. 1725.

To Jacob Taylor Surveyr General.

Richd. Hill

James Logan
Robt. Assheton.

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 16th day of February, 1833, I have hereunto set my Hand and caused the Seal of said Department to be affixed at Harrisburg, this thirteenth day of JANUARY 1909.

Henry Howe
Secretary of Internal Affairs.