



Pensilvania

*William Penn Absolute Proprietary and Govern^r in chief of the Province
of Pensilvania and Counties annexed.*

*Whereas David Powel Surveyor, in the year one thousand six hundred and eighty four re-
ceived of me a Verbal Order to survey and lay out in behalf of Richard Vickris of Bristol
a certain tract of land situate ^{or near} on the River Delaware above the falls thereof, contain-
ing five hundred acres or thereabouts, which he accordingly did actually survey, but
made no returns thereof. These therefore are to will and require thee forthwith to issue thy
Order by virtue hereof to the said David Powel thereby requiring him to make a just and
true return of the said survey into thy office and from thence make thy return thereof into
my Secretaries Office, and of this both thou and He ^{are} required not to fail, Given under my
hand and seal at Philadelphia, the sixteenth day of the sixth month 1700.*

*To Edward Pennington Surveyor General.
of the Province of Pensilvania and Territories.*

W^m Penn.

*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 eighteenth day of October 1909.*

Henry Horvath
Secretary of Internal Affairs.