



*William Penn Proprietary & Govern<sup>r</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> Province of Pennsilvania,  
& y<sup>e</sup> Territories thereunto belonging.*

*At y<sup>e</sup> Request of Joshua Hastings Purchaser, y<sup>e</sup> I would grant him to take up  
Three hundred Acres in part of it in y<sup>e</sup> County of Chester betwixt Grubb<sup>s</sup> Creek &  
Darbey Creek. These are to will & require thee forthw<sup>th</sup> to survey or cause to be  
surveyd unto him y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Number of Acres in y<sup>e</sup> aforementioned County & Place  
provided it be not already taken up, according to y<sup>e</sup> Method of Township  
appointed by me, and make returns thereof into my Secretary's Office. Given  
at Philadelphia y<sup>e</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> 1683*

*For Thomas Holmes*

*W<sup>m</sup> Penn*

*Survey<sup>r</sup> General*

*8<sup>th</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> mo order<sup>d</sup> G. A. to set it out there in a townshipp after  
former war<sup>ts</sup>*

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 First day of February 1910

*Henry Houck*  
Secretary of Internal Affairs.