



Situated on the Head of Harper's Run that Empties into Yohogani River at Steward's Crossings in Franklin Township Fayette County and Surveyed the 7<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1785 In Consequence of a Certificate granted to Thomas Davis — — — of which the following is a true Copy.

We the Commissioners appointed for adjusting the Claims to unpatented land in the Counties of Monongalia Yohogania and Ohio, do hereby Certify that Thomas Davis is intitled to four hundred acres of Land in the County of Yohogania, on the Waters of the River Yohogania to include his settlement made in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy, also a right in Preemption to Six Hundred Acres adjoining thereto.

Given under our hands at Redstone old fort, the Third day of December 1779 in the fourth Year of the Commonwealth

Test James Chew Clk Com

Endorsed on the back

Francis Peyton

Phil Pendleton

Joseph Holmes

Mem: This Certificate Cannot be entered with the Surveyor After the Twenty Sixth day of June one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty

James Chew Clk Com

This Certificate Was Entered With me the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January one thousand Seven hundred & Eighty

W. Crawford

I Assign Over all my Right Title And Interest of the within Preemption Wright to John Ward For Value Rec<sup>d</sup> by me this 11<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1781. Witness Present

To John Lukens Esqr  
Surveyor Generale

Geor Leech

Thomas Davis

Alexander McClean Dep<sup>y</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

twenty-second day of November 1905

*Lois R. Brown*  
Secretary of Internal Affairs.