

The Alteration made in the Draught of the Town by M^{rs} Finney's we don't approve of, We design the Square for the Court House w^{ch}. is to be made by cutting the angles of four squares & to be about ~~100~~ one hundred & fifty feet square to be in the middle Street that runs down to the River where the second from Schoolkill-crosses it, but as the lots are now laid out M^r Lawrence may take the whole side of the middle street for his six Lots which to be sure we should not agree to, and wonder Nich^s Scull should lay the length of Lots on what will be the principal & most valuable Street as 'tis the Common Road, so that the Breadth of three Lots which is 175 feet six inches should be cut off & the Fronts of the Lots for that depth be placed on High Street so that as you have varied the Draught there will be twenty-four Lots on each side of the street besides the twenty feet Alleys. M^r Lawrence is to chuse the Lots on his own side, but we think he should not desire them all round the Court House, however agree with him as well as you can. The whole land must be conveyed to us and the Lots conveyed to him under the same limitations that may be thought necessary to other people unless the Rent which may be a Shilling a piece or if he does not like that an ear of Indian Corn the Lots or at least one on each side the Market or Court House will be but about one hundred & twenty feet deep but that will be made up in the situation; as soon as you have settled with M^r Lawrence you may grant the Lots, but you should keep every fourth Lot vacant, They are to be granted on the same Terms with M^r Hamilton's at Lancaster. The Lots on High Street will be Sixty Feet wide and 58 $\frac{1}{2}$ in the Cross Streets.

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 fourth day of May 190.

Henry Houch
Secretary of Internal Affairs.