

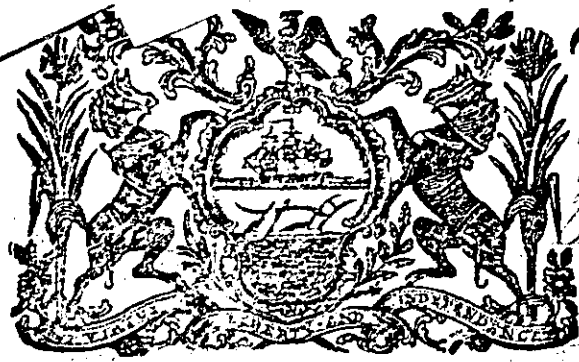
Pennsylvania, S.

In the Name and by the Authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

THOMAS SMITH

of the said Commonwealth

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:



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Now ye, That in consideration of the services rendered by Richard Slespivale in the late Army of the United States and Pennsylvania Lines - there is granted by the said Commonwealth unto Mary Woodrow daughter of the said Richard Slespivale a certain tract of land called "Recompence" Situate in Donation District No. 2 in Butler County beginning at a black Oak thence by No. 2 two hundred sixty one perches to a black Oak thence by No. 310 South one hundred thirty perches to a Channel, thence by No. 279 East two hundred sixty two white Oak, and thence by No. 279 North one hundred thirty perches to a black Oak, and thence by No. 279 West one hundred thirty perches to a black Oak, containing two hundred acres, situate in Donation District No. 2 in Butler County, Pennsylvania, and the same tract of land was granted in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the said Commonwealth, passed on the 15th day of March 1808, and the same tract of land was conveyed to the said Mary Woodrow by her father the said Richard Slespivale, deceased, by his will, and she is now the sole and lawful owner of the same.

To have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land, with the appurtenances, unto the said Mary Woodrow and her heirs to the use of her the said Mary Woodrow her heirs and assigns forever.

free and clear of all restrictions and reservations as to Mines, Royalties, Quit-rents or otherwise, excepting and reserving only the fifth part of all Silver Ore for the use of this Commonwealth, to be delivered at the pit's mouth, clear of all charges. In Testimony whereof, I have set my Hand, and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed to these Presents, at Lancaster - this fifth - day of April - in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and three, and of the Commonwealth the twenty-seventh.

By the Governor,

Wm. Thompson Sec.

Now all men by these presents, that I, John M. Miller in whom the right title to the above Talent, by means of sundry conveyances, duly vested, sold in consideration of another lot of two hundred acres of land, being granted to me, by the Land Officers of the State of Pennsylvania, agreeably to Law, do grant, convey and surrender unto the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, all my right title, and interest in the above described tract of land with the appurtenances, to hold the same to the only proper use & behoof of the Commonwealth forever. Witness my hand the 15th day of December A.D. 1808. Sealed & delivered in presence of John M. Miller