

The Supreme Executive Council of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, GREETING:

KNOW YE, That in consideration of the services rendered by *Joshua Sidwick Private* _____ in the late army of the United States

_____ there is granted by the said commonwealth unto *the said Joshua Sidwick* _____ a certain tract or parcel of land lying in the county of *Westmoreland* In the tenth district of donation Lands, beginning at a Sugar Tree the numbered Corner and running East by Lot 2001 two hundred and sixty one perches to a Birch Tree, thence South by Vacant Land one hundred and thirty perches to a Sugar Tree, thence West by Lot N^o. 2170 two hundred and sixty one perches to a sugar Tree, thence North by Lot N^o. 2150 one hundred and thirty perches to the place of beginning, Containing two hundred Acres and allowance of six Cent for Roads &c. Numbered *MM* _____

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with its appurtenances, unto the said *Joshua Sidwick* _____ his heirs and assigns forever :
TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract or parcel of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Joshua Sidwick* _____ his heirs and assigns, to the proper use and behoof of the said _____ *Joshua Sidwick* _____ his 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 gold and silver ore for the use of this commonwealth, to be delivered at the pit's mouth clear of all charges. IN WITNESS whereof *The Honorable Charles Biddle* Esquire, President of the Supreme Executive Council, hath hereunto set his hand, and caused the state seal to be affixed the *twenty sixth* day of *April* _____ in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty- *Seven*, and of the commonwealth the *Eleventh* _____

ATTEST.

James Smith
for the Secretary